



Look What Santa Brought!



That might well be what this English cocker, Braemar's Flexy is saying. Owned by Mr. and Mrs. H. Barrett, of Okanagan Mission, the little puppy is dangling from a sock over the fireplace was born on December 2, last year. "Flexy" will be three years old next April, and holds four prize ribbons. Name of the little feller in Santa's stocking is "Wyndhaven Blue". Who wouldn't like this little dog for Christmas?

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WORLD NEWS FLASHES

(By Canadian Press)

Announcement Covering New Food Contracts Between Great Britain And Canada To Be Made Tonight

OTTAWA—A government spokesman says the announcement of the new food contracts between Britain and Canada will be made later in the day.

It will be made simultaneously in Ottawa and London. It is expected that Prime Minister Mackenzie King will make the Canadian statement in the House of Commons.

The spokesman indicates that the announcement will be of moderate length. He says it likely will take about twenty minutes to read.

This morning, senior Canadian and British negotiators were busy on the final draft of the announcements. Details of the agreements, which cover bacon, beef, cheese and eggs, have been kept a closely-guarded secret. However, it is learned that they will include an average ten per cent increase for reduced amounts.

FIGHT TO FINISH

JERUSALEM—Palestine entered the Christmas season today confronted by an Arab threat to wage war to the finish against partition and the Jews. The Arab League has proclaimed in Cairo its intention to fight to the end against the United Nations decision to split the Holy Land into separate Arab and Jewish States. Says the proclamation:

"As passions and selfish interests have prevailed in the United Nations and closed the doors of right and justice in the face of the Arabs, they are determined to enter the battle into which they are forced and will carry it to its victorious end."

There was a new outbreak of violence in Jerusalem this morning. Arabs captured and killed a thirty-year-old Jew who attempted to slip through the Arab quarter and reinforce the Jews garrisoning the old city's Jewish quarter. His death brought to two hundred and sixty-four the total of fatalities in Palestine since Jewish-Arab strife broke out seventeen days ago.

PLAN SWIFT ACTION

LONDON—The Financial Times say today that Lancashire textile merchants plan swift action to step into the gap opened by Canada's restriction in cotton cloth from the United States. The Times quotes an unidentified member of the council of cotton and rayon merchants as saying:

"Now we have a chance to supply Canada with her needs and at the same time secure more dollars for Britain."

DISTRESS FLARES

HALIFAX—The R.C.A.F. Search and Rescue Unit says it is believed distress flares sighted last night in the Bay of Fundy came from the thirty-six-ton fishing vessel Mauvois, of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. The vessel is carrying a crew of three and has been unreported for several days.

Two fishing boats took up the search today, but thick weather kept aircraft on the ground. An R.C.A.F. Canso spotted two vessels last night, but neither was in distress.

NEW WHEAT CONTRACT

MELBOURNE—The Australian government today announced details of two of the greatest wheat contracts in its history. Under terms of the agreements, Britain, India and Malaya will purchase millions of bushels from the coming Australian harvest.

Britain will buy 50-million bushels of wheat at the overall price of seventeen-shillings a bushel Australian freight on board at Australian ports. That is two dollars and seventy-two cents a bushel. India will buy 25-million bushels of wheat and flour at an over-all price of eighteen shillings and sixpence a bushel Australian—Two dollars and ninety-six cents.

The British contract includes the supply of wheat and flour to Malaya and other areas for which the United Kingdom is responsible.

The price to Britain of Australian wheat at two dollars and seventy-two cents a bushel compares with current American prices of three dollars a bushel—and the Canadian wheat contract for one dollar and fifty cents a bushel until next August. After that time, the Canadian price will rise to two dollars.

WOMAN FLIER CLAIMS DOUBLE RECORD

INDIO, Calif.—Speed flier Jacqueline Cochran has laid claim to a double-barreled record at 413 miles an hour. First, she claimed the mark was a new record by a propeller-driven craft for a three-kilometre course; second, she said it exceeded the previous women's standard of 338 m.p.h. set by the late Marge Hurlbert at Tampa, Fla., March 16, 1947. Miss Cochran flew a P-51 Mustang in which she recently was clocked at 469.5 m.p.h. over a 100-kilometre course.

BEVIN BLAMES REDS FOR FAILURE

LONDON—British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin declared today that Russia's "Hostile Propaganda," as he phrased it, at the Big Four London meeting made it impossible to tackle the fundamental principles involved. Bevin told the House of Commons that Soviet opposition to participation by her neighboring countries in the Marshall Plan violates the free choice of free states. Bevin made his charges in a formal report on the Big Four session that ended in failure.

ARMED BANDITS ROB CABBIE, TAKE CAR

VANCOUVER—Two armed bandits robbed Vancouver taxi-driver Delbert Galloway of \$150 in a hold-up Wednesday night. The men also took Galloway's cab but it was found a short time later not far away.

FLOOD WATERS AT MISSION RECEDE

MISSION—Officials at Mission, B.C., in the Fraser Valley, report that flood waters from a fifteen-foot break in the Cannel Lake Dam are receding further and the creek is almost back to a normal flow. Work crews have been busy clearing roads, and it is expected that several mills in the area, closed since the break occurred last Sunday, will resume operations on Thursday. The actual cause of the break and extent of damage have not yet been determined. Because of heavy rains and flood waters, officials have been unable to get through to conduct a complete investigation.

SEEK ACTION ON FLOATING MINES

VANCOUVER—Shipping masters plying Pacific Coast waters are going to make direct application to the Federal Maritime Commission for protection against floating mines. G. F. Bullock, secretary of the Canadian Merchant Service Guild, has announced. The officers want wartime regulations which provide for compensation for any injuries suffered through action of "enemy mines", Mr. Bullock said.

SHORTEST DAY

Okanagan Valley residents have probably been too busy enjoying the mild spell of weather and keeping an eye on their Christmas shopping to notice any big change in the hours of actual daylight.

But a close look at the calendar will show that the shortest day of the year will be next Sunday, and starting next week, the days will gradually get a little longer.

Old-timers agree this has been an "exceptionally mild" year, and local meteorologist Dave Chapman is busy thumbing back old records. During the same period last year, the temperature dropped to near zero point on several occasions, but so far this year the mercury has not fallen below the 20 degree mark.

Incidentally, Mr. Chapman is no longer known as a meteorologist. His new official title, according to the department of transport is a climatologist.

City Council, Monday, granted A. J. Solley, 779 Clement, permission to install a temporary septic tank.

PETITION ASKS FOR ADDITIONAL STREET LIGHTS

City Council received a petition Monday night signed by many Clement Ave. residents requesting street lighting and drainage facilities to protect septic tanks and to take care of the run-off water from Glenmore.

Alderman Jack Horn declared the public works department is fully aware of the necessity of proper facilities and work would be undertaken as soon as materials, men and money are available.

HUGHES-GAMES CONGRATULATED

Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games was congratulated by R. C. MacDonald, minister of municipal affairs and by Mayor W. Mott, of New Westminster on being elected to the chief magistrate's position by acclamation.

The letters were read at last Monday night's council meeting.

"It is an indication of public approval of your past efficient service to the community," Mr. MacDonald stated in his letter.

BENNETT TO ATTEND PRO-CON CAUCUS

W. A. C. Bennett, M.L.A., South Okanagan, left on Thursday for Victoria where on Saturday he will attend a caucus of the Progressive Conservative members of the Legislature to consider what policy will be followed concerning the premiership.

Mr. Bennett has placed himself on record as believing that it is imperative that the present Coalition setup be maintained and that it should not be broken up as a result of a dispute over the premiership.

Four Million Dollar Hydro Project Will Serve Okanagan Valley

IMMEDIATE development of a \$4,500,000 hydro project on the Arrow Lakes to serve the Okanagan district has been announced by Premier John Hart.

The new undertaking will include construction of a dam at the outlet of Whistler Lake, near the town of Needles, the boring of a tunnel approximately two miles from Whistler Lake to the west shore of Arrow Lake and a power plant with a total capacity of 33,000 horsepower.

The power plant will be built about three miles north of Needles, and a 132,000 volt transmission line will connect the plant with the City of Vernon.

The Premier, in what is expected to be his last announcement of government policy, declared the project will be as important to the development of the central interior as the Campbell River plant is to central Vancouver Island. The new development will serve an area from Kamloops to Revelstoke, from Shuswap Lake to the international boundary.

Cost \$4,500,000

A 60,000 volt transmission line is being built by the commission between Kamloops and Vernon, the premier explained, and this together with the new project will permit unification of the power sources owned by the commission in the southern interior.

Cost will include \$3,500,000 for construction of the dam and power plant, and \$1,000,000 to erect the transmission lines.

This undertaking will not only supply the present and imminent demand for power, but will permit a greater agricultural development by providing necessary power for irrigation purposes, as well as power for industrial use and rural electrification.

TWO OKANAGAN PEOPLE WIN BIG PRIZES

Two Okanagan residents were among the many winners in the national Robin Hood Flour contest, decision of which was made on Tuesday.

Mrs. Irving Adams, R.R.1, Summerland, won the top prize, a brand new refrigerator. To Miss Alice Heron, Vernon, went another major prize, a chest of silver.

REFUSE LICENCE

The city will refuse to grant a licence to the Lawson Ave. boarding house until the sanitary inspector is satisfied that provision has been made for adequate ventilation, city council ruled Monday night.

SALE OF YULE TREES COMES UNDER FIRE

A. J. Shelley Complains Over Outsiders Peddling Trees From Door to Door

NO LICENCE

Declares Trees Are Brought Here 60 Miles Away And Protection Needed

A. J. Shelley, proprietor of Speedy Delivery Service, outlined in a letter to City Council Monday night, his stand taken regarding the sale of Christmas trees without a licence.

It appears that several years ago, Mr. Shelley started to sell Christmas trees and took out a licence. This licence incorporated the selling of many things, such as love birds, goldfish, horticultural products, Christmas trees, etc. The licence was renewed from year to year and as the years passed, the subjects specified on the licence were reduced, some being included in the "etc."

The licence now reads for love birds, goldfish, horticultural products, etc.

Mr. Shelley declared his licence included sale of trees, and Alderman Jack Ladd thought had a reasonable complaint. Mayor W. Hughes-Games, however, most emphatically thought otherwise, and the matter finally ended with Mr. Shelley's letter being filed.

Outsiders

The delivery service owner stated he has no objection to local youth organizations or young people selling Christmas trees without a licence, but he strongly objected to outsiders peddling the trees from house to house.

Mr. Shelley said he brings the trees 60 miles from the city and there is a considerable amount of money involved. It was reported that Vancouver has solved the problem by issuing free permits. It can limit the permit holders, but licence holders cannot be limited in number.

If a licence fee is charged to sell Christmas trees in town, then the holder has to put up a bond of \$500 to stay in business for six months.

Ellison Field May Be Used By CPA When Airport Is Fully Licensed; Start Airmail Service To Interior

Herbert Hollick-Kenyon, general superintendent of Canadian Pacific Airlines, B.C. Region, inspected both the Ellison airport and the Rutland Airstrip this morning, during a brief visit to the city.

The CPA official, in an interview, said he was here on a "routine tour of inspection." Ald. J. H. Horn accompanied Mr. Hollick-Kenyon on his tour of the two airports.

Admitting that commercial aviation is just about through with making big headlines, he said he had nothing official to give on the possibilities of CPA operating a feeder line in the Okanagan Valley.

"We like to keep in touch with improvements. You can say we are keeping our ear to the ground. When the Ellison field is completed and licensed, then there will be the possibility we will be using the airport," Mr. Hollick-Kenyon said.

Air Mail This Week

Air mail service for the southern

City's Water System Now Capable Of Taking Care Of Population Of 30,000

Icy Streets Cause Many Accidents

Majority of Motorists Cautious When Snow Fell Last Week, Police Report

MINOR ACCIDENTS

Only One Charge of Dangerous Driving Laid During Past Three Weeks

Slippery streets last week were responsible for many crumpled fenders and smashed headlights on local autos. Police report accidents majority of which are a minor nature, are on the upswing as a result of snow and ice on the city streets and roads in the district.

In nearly every instance, police believe motorists have been cautious. Only once during the past three weeks has a charge of dangerous driving been laid following an accident. No one has suffered injuries in any of the accidents.

Damage of \$300 was caused to a car driven by James F. Nottage, Kelowna, when it was in collision last Thursday on Harvey Ave., near the Vernon Road, with a truck driven by P. B. Kenaken, 525 Bonnard Ave. The truck was undamaged.

Jack Krenn escaped injury on Monday at 6 p.m. when he lost control of the car he was driving and it overturned near the KLO bridge. He was alone in the car at the time. Damage to the car was estimated at \$200.

O. Simpson reported to police that his sustains about \$500 damage when it was in collision with a truck driven by L. Fumano. The accident occurred on Water St., near Doyle Ave., yesterday afternoon.

There were two slight accidents on the Joe Rich road during the past week, it was reported. Damage was understood to be negligible. Icy roads were blamed in both instances.

HEAVY SNOW BRINGS DOWN POWER LINES

Communication Between City And Vancouver Disrupted Due To Wet Snow

TRAINS LATE

Telegraph Poles Topple Over Between Yale and Hope—Service Restored

Heavy wet snow between Hope and Revelstoke disrupted communication lines between Kelowna and Vancouver this morning, and service was not restored until shortly before noon today.

The heavy snow caused telegraph poles to topple in many districts, particularly between Yale and Hope. The lines became heavily coated and at some points, the snow froze.

CKOV was unable to carry the 8 a.m. news today, and many people who generally tune in for the morning broadcast, were worried for a few moments, fearing they had over-slept. The telephone office, for a moment, was deluged with telephone calls from people ascertaining the time.

This afternoon communication is working satisfactory. Trains are running slightly behind schedule, due to heavy Christmas mail. Last night seven extra cars were put on one train to carry the extra Christmas mail and express.

U-DRIVE SERVICE

City Council granted a trades licence to Weeden's Garage to operate a U-Drive service. The service will start around the end of January.

COMPANY MUST DROP VETERAN FROM TITLE

Council Upholds Protest Made By Legion Over Naming of Advertising Firm

EXPLANATION

Head of Firm States Company Never Intended to Capitalize on Ex-servicemen

City Council upheld the protest made last week by the executive of the Canadian Legion over an advertising firm using the word "veteran" in the name of the company, and agreed that before a licence is granted to the firm, the word "veteran" will have to be deleted.

Legion made the protest after it was revealed at a previous meeting of the council that the Veterans' Advertising Agency would install garbage receptacles on city streets.

It was pointed out that only one ex-serviceman is a partner of the firm. Members of the company are R. P. Walrod, T. Hamilton and H. A. Leckridge.

It was explained, however, that there was never any intention of capitalizing on the word "veterans", and that application had already been made to the registrar of companies reserving the name Interior Advertising Company Ltd.

Clarifying the matter, Mr. Walrod, turned to Page 8, Story 1

Second Reservoir Completed Early This Week—Capable of Holding 1,000,000 Gallons of Water—New Pumps Will Be Installed Early Next Year—Will Pump 4,100 Gallons a Minute

Shortage Of Materials

THE City of Kelowna's second reservoir, capable of storing 1,000,000 gallons of water, which is considered sufficient to look after the city's needs for the next 20 or 30 years, was completed early this week, and without any fanfare, City Engineer Harry Blakeborough and his assistant, George Meekling, flicking a switch which started the massive pumps pouring water into the huge tank. Built at a cost of approximately \$110,000, officials of the local engineering department state it will look after a population of 30,000 people.

Work on the reservoir started before the war, at which time relief labor was used. Due to lack of materials and scarcity of labor, completion was delayed, but during the past year, the necessary materials came up somewhat and both Mr. Blakeborough and Mr. Meekling concentrated on getting the reservoir in operation before the end of the year.

NO PAPER

There will be no publication of The Courier next Thursday, December 25, but next Monday's paper will carry a full account of plans for the festive season. The last edition of the current year will be published on Monday, December 23, and The Courier office will be closed on Thursday and Friday of both weeks.

RADIO ALARM SYSTEM NOW OPERATING

Mayor Hughes-Games Officiates at Ceremony and Turns in First Alarm

FORWARD STEP

Volunteer Firemen Can Now Be Notified Within Few Seconds Alarm is Sounded

Kelowna's new radio alarm system officially went into operation at an impromptu ceremony held at the Kelowna Fire Brigade headquarters Monday night.

Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games officiated at the brief ceremony. His Worship congratulated the volunteer fire brigade on the new system, and turning in the first alarm, told the firemen it was another milestone in their colorful history.

"The fire brigade has the full confidence of the City Council and the citizens at large," Mayor Hughes-Games declared, also paying tribute to the Acme Radio Company which had done a considerable amount of research work on the apparatus.

Individual receivers are installed in the homes of firemen, and when an alarm is turned into the brigade headquarters during the evening hours, volunteer firemen are notified within a few moments. Previously they had to rely upon the siren on top of the brigade headquarters or be notified by telephone.

Later at the council meeting, Alderman Maurice Meikle, chairman of the fire brigade committee, said the new system is the first put into operation in the province. "It is indeed a feather in the hat of the brigade," he added.

When the matter of insuring the equipment was brought up before council, it was decided to refer it to the insurance committee of the council.

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Second Primary School Will Be Constructed In South End of City

SOME relief in the unparalleled congestion in the public elementary school in Kelowna is expected soon with the delayed opening of the Graham Street Primary School due in about six weeks and another primary school promised for the south end of the city.

Kelowna School District 23 officials revealed this week 12 acres had been purchased on Raymer Ave., at Richter St., and that construction of the Raymer Avenue Primary School would start as soon as possible.

Contract to build the school was awarded to A. L. Patterson, local contractor, at the same price as contracted for the Graham St. school—\$23,450. The new south end school, which will likely be a four-room building similar to the Graham St. school, is expected to be completed by September 1.

No Sash or Doors

Lack of materials is contributing to the delays in completion of the Graham St. school. Absence of sash and doors is the principal delay, trustees of the school board were told at a board meeting last week.

According to latest word, the school is expected to be ready within six weeks, with an official opening by February 1 at the latest.

Meanwhile, Fred Marriage, public school principal, protested to the board about the delays in opening the school. He pointed out that it was promised by the beginning of the present school term, and then later promised by January 1.

Promotions In Danger

Mr. Marriage appealed for more measures to help relieve the congestion. He said the double shift had become so unwieldy he doubted if all pupils would be able to earn their promotions in June, unless there was some more room provided.

Trustees decided to investigate whether the class room in the Beth-el Baptist Church could be used for school purposes. It is believed that two classrooms could be set up in the church. The school board has been promised by the beginning of the present school term, and then later promised by January 1.

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A Significant Figure

In Monday's issue of this paper there appeared an interesting figure which probably escaped the notice of many readers. In a report of the regional advisory committee of the department of trade and industry, it was reported that the building permits taken out in the Kelowna regulated area for the first eleven months of its operation was \$745,220.00.

This figure is interesting on two counts. It is the first time such information has been available, and the amount of the figure is rather astonishing.

Until the formation of the Kelowna regulated area, there was no check upon the amount of building and one person's guess was as good as another's. Now, thanks to the new regulation which requires building permits to be obtained, it will be possible to have a fairly accurate gauge of the construction in the regulated zone.

The building permits issued for the regulated area in eleven months have totalled \$745,220. This means that, as for eleven months Kelowna city's construction figures were \$1,519,000, the building figures for that area which for want of a better designation may be called the "Kelowna Flat"—Okanagan Mission to Rutland—in the eleven month period exceed \$2,250,000.

This is an astonishing figure which emphasizes the growth of this district during the past year. But even so it does not tell the complete story as the construction figures for the unorganized areas not included in the regulated area as well as those of Westbank and Peachland are not included. With this in mind one would not be erring on the liberal side if one stated that the building in this area during the past eleven months had exceeded the two and a half million dollar mark.

Good Show, Kelowna!

A few weeks ago the Canadian Junior Red Cross conducted a campaign among its members to obtain good used shoes to send to Britain that some of the youngsters there might be reasonably well shod throughout the winter months. The Kelowna Junior Red Cross, under Mr. Fred Marriage, of course, played its part in the national program.

It is now reported that the campaign resulted in a national collection of 20,752 pairs of children's shoes to be sent to Britain. Of this number British Columbia furnished 10,627 or more than half the total; a remarkable record illustrating the effectiveness of the organization in this province and a tribute itself to the enthusiasm of the people—and the school children—of this province.

Of more local interest, however, is the fact that the Kelowna school children collected 920 pairs of shoes for British youngsters. In other words, Kelowna provided one pair in every ten of the provincial total, roughly, and one pair in every twenty of the national total. When considered in relation to our population these figures are truly remarkable and leave little doubt that on a per capita basis the contribution of the Kelowna schools would exceed that of any other.

The results of this campaign would seem to illustrate that Kelowna youngsters are imbued with the same generous spirit and enthusiasm for helping others as are their parents who have given to this town and district the past few years a reputation of being one of the places in the Dominion which can be counted upon to do more than its share in any worthwhile appeal that presents itself.

The Premiership

The election of Byron Johnson as leader of the British Columbia Liberals to succeed Hon. John Hart has been well received throughout the Interior and has been accepted as an indication that the Coalition Government will be reorganized and be carried on as such. It would be a very unpleasant shock to the people of the Interior to learn that the Progressive Conservative party is reluctant to carry on the partnership under the premiership of Mr. Johnson, who, Hon. John Hart undoubtedly will recommend as his successor.

Mr. Johnson is not too well known in the Interior. It is true that he made a hurried visit to some ridings during the past month but his contacts were principally those closely connected with influencing delegates' support at the then-approaching Liberal convention. It is believed that a great measure of his support in the leadership race came from Interior points and he received it principally because it was felt that under his leadership there was a better chance of continuance of the Coalition administration which has given this province during the past six years a class of government superior to any in the province's history. The

primary concern of the great preponderance of the voters is not who leads the Liberal party or the Conservative party or who should be premier, but the continuance of good provincial administration. This they have had for six years and they will not look kindly upon any person or party who would be instrumental in breaking it up.

Some re-organization in the Cabinet is inevitable, of course, but now that the Liberals' own problem has been settled, it is to be hoped that the two factions in that party will forget their recent differences of opinion and find it possible to work harmoniously with the Progressive Conservative wing of the Coalition.

Both the Liberal and Progressive Conservative parties now have accredited leaders and the spotlight has now shifted from party circles to the Coalition caucus which soon must decide whom it will follow when Hon. John Hart steps down, at his own request, from the premiership.

The same facts are spread before both parties alike. Two leaders cannot head the Coalition, but only one. That must be an agreed choice if the Coalition itself is to survive. It seems manifest that the majority of the public expects steps to be taken to preserve the Coalition, so that a three-way split in the electorate will not bring the results in British Columbia that it did in Saskatchewan. Two-thirds of the people of British Columbia are not socialists and they now look to both the mainline parties to place British Columbia's welfare above party or personal consideration.

Exit Mr. Hart

Within the next few days Hon. John Hart will resign as Premier of British Columbia and retire to a well-deserved rest from public service.

Mr. Hart has been one of the ablest public servants in Canada; a man of talents which, had he been elected to serve in that field, would have carried him to the front ranks of national politics. However, by choice he remained in his own province and has rebuilt its finances over a period of thirty years and, as leader of the Coalition Government, has given it what is generally accepted as the best administration this province has had in its entire history.

While Mr. Hart has contributed much to British Columbia, he has also made a large contribution to the solution of national problems in his successful negotiations with the Dominion this year.

In Mr. Hart's retirement, British Columbia loses a strong leader while the councils of the nation lose a wise and respected advisor. Mr. Hart's admirers in this province and, indeed, throughout the rest of the Dominion, are expecting Ottawa to recognize his service in the past and to retain his wise counsel for the future through his appointment to a seat in the Senate of the Parliament of Canada. No such appointment could be more deserving nor meet with greater public approval.

The New Safety Regulations

The new "Safety-Responsibility" amendments to the Motor Vehicle Act, details of which were made public by the Attorney-General in a recent address, is the most constructive step yet taken by the Provincial Government to meet the growing menace of traffic accidents and fatalities.

To everyone familiar with the appalling yearly increase in the number of motor accidents on our streets and highways, it is evident that this action has been taken none too soon. During 1939 the accident total was 4,954. By the end of 1946, a scant seven years later, this annual figure had mounted to 9,720. And this despite better roads, improved markings, province-wide vehicle and driver-testing stations and the establishment of the B.C. Police Highway Patrol.

One important feature of the new law is that it is preventive in nature. It has been designed, like all good laws, for the benefit of society as a whole. If the motoring public co-operates to make the law work here, as similar legislation has worked in Manitoba and in certain States across the border, British Columbia's accident toll will show an immediate decrease.

For responsible, law-abiding motorists and pedestrians, the law provides a greater measure of protection and safety than they have ever known on our roads. For the "outlaws of the highway", the Act has teeth sufficiently sharp and strong to drive them forever from the roads.

Even since the major decontrol of prices we have been unable to reconcile ourselves to the idea of the federal treasury's building up a huge surplus, largely from taxation, while the Canadian public could do with some extra income to offset the rising cost of living.

The trouble is that too many girls today are only interested in getting a job as soon as possible that will enable them to live until they can get married, and whether that job is of any use to them in later life never enters into their thoughts.

Competition—the life of trade—is also the life of democracy. For, if democracy fails to compete with other world ideas, it will have to resort to combat.

Quote from Yesterday . . .

I strove with none, for none was worth my strife;
Nature I loved; and next to Nature, Art.
I warmed both hands against the fire of life;
It sinks and I am ready to depart.

—Landor.



Kelowna In Bygone Days

From the Files of The Kelowna Courier

TEN YEAR AGO

Thursday, December 16, 1937

Kelowna is losing hundreds of dollars in tourist business every summer just through the prevalence of mosquitoes, declared Bill Riddell, chairman of the Junior Board of Trade Mosquito Control Committee, who called a council of war on Tuesday evening to endeavor to find a way out of the difficulties and a manner of providing funds for the effective control of the annual pests.

Revaluation of the Kelowna schools is being undertaken this month in order to estimate the per amount of fire insurance which should be carried by the Kelowna School Board.

Kelowna is speculating whether it will get the new ferry next year. Mrs. Isobell Stillingfleet, British Empire packing queen, arrived home today, with her laurels from England.

Arrangements have been completed for the invasion of the interior, the week between Christmas and New Year's, by the Varsity Canadian championship basketball team. They will appear in Kelowna on December 27.

Kelowna business houses have been gay with Christmas decorations for the past two weeks and present an enticing picture for the many shoppers who have been thronging the stores for the annual Christmas shopping festival.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Thursday, December 15, 1927

Members of the school board and T. R. Hall, school inspector, held a conference last Thursday and considered the building of a junior high school as a means of relieving the congestion at the high school and public school.

The executive council of the Kelowna Board of Trade attended City Council meeting Monday night when the problem of controlling Mission Creek was discussed. The possibility of unduly high water next year is not being overlooked.

A group of interested citizens met here last week to discuss the possibility of establishing a library in Kelowna.

After three months of exceptionally wet weather for a semi-arid climate, there was some reason to suppose that the snowfall would be light, but it seems as though the branch of the weather department which has charge of winter conditions is determined that Pluvius is not to be the only record-breaker this year.

A taste of its quality was given a month ago in a fall of snow unusually heavy for such an early date in the winter, but last Sunday eclipsed all recent history with 16 inches of what is beautiful from a poetic point of view on mountain tops but is a damned nuisance to the unfortunate householder who has to sweep it off sidewalks and roofs. Yet another condition obtained in that the heavy fall of snow was accompanied by a low temperature followed later by a drop below zero instead of the customary thaw, so that the snow still lies deep everywhere.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Thursday, December 13, 1917

Kelowna residents learned this week that the Okanagan Lake boat service was to be curtailed to a tri-weekly service with the boat running north one day and south the next instead of making the return trip each day as at present.

Having accomplished its work, Kelowna Victoria committee disbanded itself on Monday when after a short meeting during which presentations were made to Secretary L. V. Rogers and Publicity Manager T. S. Ruffell, numerous votes and expression of thanks were passed to all those who had, in any way, assisted Kelowna in raising its handsome total of \$209,050 in subscription to the loan.

The first prosecution under the B.C. Prohibition Act in Kelowna was held in city police court on Monday when two men were each fined \$50 for infringements under the act.

Difficulty in procuring wood for the city power plant resulted in the decision to use some coal until the wood picture improved. The ashes will be used in sidewalk construction.

A lengthy financial statement presented at City Council meeting Monday night showed that the city's financial position as regards its cash on hand had greatly improved during the last 12 months while arrears of taxes were less than in previous years.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Thursday, December 12, 1907

M. Hereron, road foreman, has completed two miles of wagon road from the South Okanagan road to B. E. Crichen's ranch and is now engaged in carrying it a mile farther to W. E. W. Mitchell's property. This road will prove a boon to the settlers named as they have had no way of reaching town heretofore.

ONE MAN'S OPINION

By "The Beaver"

ONE WEEK FROM TODAY—as the sun slowly sets behind a mountain peak overlooking the placid waters of the Okanagan, most of us will be reclining in our chairs after gorging on turkey and plum pudding and all the rest of the things that go to make up a good old fashioned Christmas dinner.

AND AS THIS WILL BE the last column that will be batted out before Christmas, I'm going to take the opportunity of wishing a Merry Christmas to all my faithful readers—the none-too-faithful followers—the critics—and the sympathizers.

LOOKING BACK IN RETROSPECT, the past year has been a most unusual one. Actually when I examine the calendar closely, I begin to wonder where the past 12 months have slipped to. It only seems like a few short months ago that I made a long list of New Year's resolutions (they were never put on parchment) and it will be but another two weeks before many of us will again sharpen a pencil and go through the same routine.

THE PRINTER'S INK HAD barely dried on last week's paper when several people came to me and commented on my last column. "So you think you're lucky by finishing your Christmas shopping so early!" one person remarked. "Just wait and see. As sure as night follows day, there'll be some more buying to do."

He was right. ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL REMARKED that I had not got the better half trained properly. "Should do the same as I do," he said. "Just hand your pay cheque over to her and tell her to do all the buying."

That might be good advice, but I may find that I have an over-draft at the bank, and bankers can be nasty people at times!

THEN THERE WAS ONE member of the staff who heartily disagreed with my views. "Why," he

said indignantly, "half the fun of Christmas shopping is getting mixed up in the merry throng. One doesn't appreciate Christmas unless they join in the spirit of things."

This gentleman, I found out later, has left the Christmas shopping to his wife ever since they were married, which, incidentally, has been quite a number of years!!!

AND LAST BUT NOT LEAST, there was the elderly woman who telephoned and said she would be only too glad to loan me a darning needle. She also wondered whether I had really meant to prick the BRITCHES of people, or if it was a typographical error!!!

BUT BY NOW, EVERYONE is getting primed up for Christmas. There is a pent-up feeling in the air—as if the pot of Christmas cheer is about to explode any moment. The whirl of parties has started. Bernard Avenue has taken on a definite Christmas atmosphere, and next Monday morning, Santa Claus will make his official appearance in Kelowna. By next Monday things will be going strong, and the crescendo will be reached on Christmas day when we all sit around the table and enjoy piping-hot turkey dinner.

CHRISTMAS HAS NO MORE joyous by-product than the music it evokes. Staid adults and squeaky voiced children, choristers, professional musicians and folks who normally can't be persuaded to sing above a whisper, unite in praise of the Child of Bethlehem.

AN INSTITUTION almost as old as Christianity itself, Christmas carols were sung in medieval times as parishioners danced around the symbolic crib in the church. Many of the carols set to popular dance tunes, provided a precedent for "White Christmas" and other latter-day favorites.

THE HAPPIEST of Christian festivals has always been an inspiration to composers and several pro-

sent-day musicians have added to the repertoire with new carols composed in the traditional style. Others have re-introduced old tunes, long buried on library shelves, which have taken their place along with the established favorites.

THE ENTERPRISING youngsters who pick up pocket-money by going from door to door singing carols are following a custom that dates back to Norman times. The carols themselves give glimpse of customs prevailing through the ages. The feasting of Norman times is reflected in the "Boar's Head" carol, while the familiar "Good King Wenceslas" recalls the early practice of Christmas charity by men of good will.

BUT MOST OF the carols simply re-tell the familiar story of the Nativity—all the tongues that have learned to sing the praises of the Christ Child, and to spread His messages of peace on earth.

AND SO BEFORE WE LEAVE to take part in these festive celebrations—MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL—WHOOOP! HICK! HELLO THERE! HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!

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Westbank Residents Are Indignant Over Logs Being Left On Road

by MRS. D. GELLATLY
WESTBANK — At Westbank there is a beach which provides the "best, best and cheapest boomer-ground on Okanagan Lake," to quote an authority.

This choice boomer-ground lies along several hundred yards of a secondary highway which is in constant use by residents of this part of the district, and by car, truck and taxi-drivers generally. This road also provides, or is supposed to provide, the only exit to Westbank Village, Kelowna, etc., for those living in the vicinity. There is a "back" road of sorts, it is true, which because of its poor condition, can seldom be used even by loggers.

Those who of necessity use the secondary highway have long had good reason to bemoan the existence of this easy, good and cheap boomer-ground, which has not only robbed Westbank of practically the only stretch of usable bathing beach in the district, but more or less robs those living on the Gellatly flat, quick exit from their homes. The reason for this is that for most of the time this highway is a one-way track, piled on both sides with logs; and with three or four logging trucks hauling constantly, residents seldom leave home without finding one or more trucks unloading, or about to unload. Sometimes it is possible to squeeze by a towering load from which the chains have been removed preparatory to unloading, and from which the least vibration is liable to let loose one or more logs. A dangerous procedure, which only the foolhardy and inexperienced driver will do attempt.

Long Delays

As a consequence of this condition, those leaving for work in Westbank, coming home for meals, catching a ferry, with time at a minimum, have to wait—and wait—until trucks are unloaded, moved, and the logs which invariably fall on the road, pulled out of the way before they can proceed. By this time there is usually a line-up of several cars and trucks, and though the air may be still, it is nonetheless vibrant with pent-up, and sometimes uttered, emotions!

The climax, however, came on Saturday evening, when a car hurrying to catch the ferry, was brought to an indignant stop by logs left directly, and it seemed, deliberately, in the centre of the highway. It was impossible to pass without first getting out, and with difficulty, roll aside sufficiently far those logs that quite prevented a car from even scraping by. Motorists passing later, their indignation in no uncertain terms.

Why is nothing done to remedy such a deplorable and dangerous situation? That is exactly what

Westbank means to find out, for in spite of repeated protests and appeals for a proper boomer-ground to be established here, nothing has been done. Indeed, conditions are progressively worse. Everyone in the district, including the loggers themselves, want a boomer-ground, but appeals pass unnoticed, and apparently will continue to be ignored until a serious accident and probable loss of life occur.

NORTH OKANAGAN VALLEY NEWS ROUNDUP

VERNON SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 22 hopes to present the \$103,000 school bylaw to taxpayers late in January. At the board meeting last week, Chairman L. S. Stirling regretted the fact that the public was not receiving sufficient information regarding the bylaw plans. "We have had a reporter at every meeting. He has given quite long, comprehensive and fair reports, but the public should know what has been going on if they read the paper," said Mr. Stirling. He also emphasized that "the continual flood" of school children coming into the district "had been taken care of" and that this had created a deplorable problem in attempting to plan sufficient new accommodation without building more than necessary during the present time of high prices.

PEOPLE IN VERNON are reported to be receiving literal "gifts from the gods" through the circulation of a chain letter. Returns amounting to as high as \$50 have been received by members of this reportedly "fool-proof" chain since it was first introduced to Vernon October 26. The chain memo, however, insists that when a name reaches the top of the list of ten, that person will receive a total of \$2,048. Incredible you say? That's the first reaction of nearly everyone who is approached to join the chain of easy money makers. As promoters of the scheme, "mark with satisfaction," they scoff at first but end up by investing. Staggering through it may seem, reports have it that university students are paying for their books and tuition fees with chain letter dividends. Promoters point out you can't lose provided you sell the idea to two more persons. If you don't sell the idea, you're the loser and the rest of the chain carries on without you.

CITY OF VERNON and Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation have reached an agreement on the 100 rental homes that will be constructed next year. The proposed agreement as read to the council meeting, contained some clauses differing from those originally included by the city in a meeting with J. R. Halls, regional construction engineer.

VERNON'S AIRPORT is "100 per cent" for the purpose it was built—use by light planes, but if "business gets good," it will be necessary to get 500 feet more and maybe 500 feet more again. This was the explanation of W. L. Lawson, district inspector of western airways, Department of Transport, to the Board of Trade last week. He was referring particularly to the department's latest request that 500 feet be added if the city wished to get chartered flights to link up with CPAL Vancouver to Calgary service through Penticton.

VERNON CITY FATHERS are hoping that the city will break even, or even have a bit of a surplus on the current year's operation, judging by an interim financial statement covering the first 11 months of 1947. However, the surplus is not expected to be near last year's cash balance of over \$45,000. Only department over-spent is the parks committee, although the water committee had only \$316.26 of its estimated budget left for December operations. The council proved to be somewhat conservative in estimating its receipts for one year. Collections from all departments at the end of November were already more than \$18,000 above estimates for the year. However, the major portion of this was from sale of lands for arrears of taxes and from

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PEACHLAND W.A. COLLECTS \$181 FROM BAZAAR

PEACHLAND — A successful bazaar was held by the W.A. of St. Margaret's Anglican Church on Thursday, December 11, in the Legion Hall. With a few well chosen words, Mrs. F. V. Harrison, of Summerland, declared the bazaar open. The tea tables and stalls were centred with mums, and a gaily decorated Christmas Tree lit up. Mrs. M. Coldham and Mrs. C. W. Atkins were in charge of the home cooking stall. Mrs. A. Coldham, candy; Mrs. A. A. West and Mrs. V. M. Cousins, novelties; Mrs. G. Long and Mrs. J. Mohlar, fancy work and aprons. Mrs. L. Ayres was convener of the bazaar and helping her were Mrs. H. C. MacNeill, Mrs. A. E. Ruffie, Mrs. G. Lang, Mrs. A. McKay, Mrs. F. Topham, Jr. The Girl Guides helped wait upon the tea tables, Mrs. R. N. Martin being in charge of the tea money. Mrs. V. Milner-Jones was cashier. Proceeds taken were \$181.15.

VALLEY COW TEST RESULTS

Following is a list of cows that produced 50 pounds or more of butterfat during the month of November (note: name of cow, breed, milk, butterfat and name of owner follow in that order):
Dodo (30), Guernsey, 1,240, 70.7, G. D. Cameron; Pansy (70), Jersey, 1,150, 67.2, Mike Johnson, Victoria (42), Guernsey, 1,224, 60.1, E. Koyama; Holly (30), Guernsey, 1,076, 61.3, J. J. Conroy; Blackie (30), Jersey, 1,355, 61.0, Mike Johnson; Nancy (28), Guernsey, 1,187, 60.5, E. Koyama; June (20), Holstein, 1,432, 60.1, C. G. Montgomery; Dale (11), Jersey, 924, 59.1, J. J. Conroy; Darkie (46), Jersey, 1,161, 58.0, B. C. Palfrey.
Betty (83), Guernsey, 1,352, 56.8, C. G. Montgomery; Daisy (65), Jersey, 1,125, 56.2, B. C. Palfrey; Lindy (29), Jersey, 884, 53.9, J. J. Conroy; One (77), Jersey, 1,085, 53.2, D. Rampon; Flossie (44), Guernsey, 1,215, 52.4, Mrs. M. Fisher; Prudence (21), Jersey, 874, 52.4, H. C. Mallam; Jessie (29), 1,113, 52.3, W. R. Powley.
Two Year Olds—40 lbs. or more
Butterfat
Betty II (59), Holstein, 1,246, 48.8, C. G. Montgomery; Mabel Posh II (67), Holstein, 1,283, 46.2, Archie Hardy; Blossom (18), Guernsey, 1,051, 46.2, Mrs. M. Fisher; Pinkie Jr. II (65), Jersey, 711, 42.7, B. C. Palfrey; Pretty Jr. II (71), 750, 40.5.

YOUNG ADULTS CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

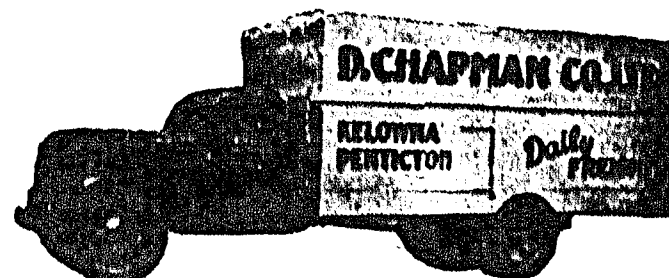
The Young Adults Club of Kelowna United Church held its election of officers recently. The slate, as brought forward by the nominating committee was adopted unanimously and the 1948 executive will be made up as follows: president, John Smith; vice president, Colin Sutherland; secretary, Eva Persinger; treasurer, Kay B. Berston; refreshment convener, Lois Sutherland; recreation convener, Ches Larson.

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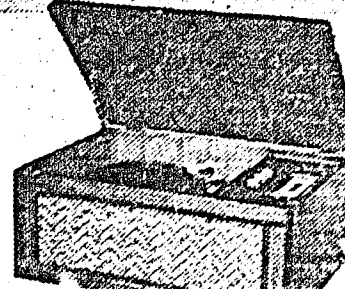
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Results Of Games Played By Local Leagues At Bowling Alleys

MEN'S COMMERCIAL LEAGUE
Monday Night, Dec. 8
Race for leadership in the Monday night league continues as tight as the skin on a gooseberry, with only four points separating the first four teams. Bank Joes are still on top of the heap, getting four points from Kelowna Machine Shop. Other top teams fared almost as well.

To Club 13 went the team honors of the night, their 1000 and 2031 going unchallenged. Donny Manderson of Bonnet's, picked up both individual highs with his 280 and 710.

CLUB 13 (4) — G. Koenig 511, Wilderman 521, Schneider 640, Garrow 591, B. Koenig 558, 871, 890, 1060—2831.

BUILDERS' SUPPLY (0) — J. D. Monteth 438, Jarvis 474, Robertshaw 426, Mowat 469, Slesinger 516, handicap 291, 817, 889, 908—2814.

BENNETT'S (3) — Anderson (2) 212, Paulson 498, Fowler (2) 423, Parks (2) 281, Manderson 710, Johnson 563, 775, 1056, 850—2887.

FUMERTON'S (1) — McDougall 452, Berchold 420, Ritch 488, Anderson 559, L.S. 356, handicap 153, 694, 825, 909—2428.

B.A. OIL (4) — Carew (2) 271, Blair (2) 307, Brown 444, Whillis (2) 281, Johnson 576, Roberts 607, handicap 49, 763, 899, 2533.

CKOV (0) — Bond 381, Evans 549, Weber 519, Talbot 420, Reid 496, 716, 823, 826—2365.

OCCIDENTAL (3) — Lahm (2) 387, Roberts 547, Zaiser 580, Benmore 524, Claggett (1) 124, Simons 502, handicap 41, 882, 1003, 820—2705.

BULL DOGS (1) — Folk 400, Purdy 592, Camozzi 420, Franks 589, Kitch 536, 833, 780, 984—2597.

KEL. M.S. (0) — Arnesen 405, Brucker 481, Boniface 571, Minchen 482, White 298, handicap 186, 881, 785, 737—2403.

BANK JOES (4) — Mellin 427, Nutter 668, Bonar 604, Paulding 520, Lesmeister 506, 937, 877, 898—2727.

C.N.R. (3) — Fraser 503, Schuck 665, Dodge 332, Dalley 457, Tilley 470, handicap 192, 903, 830, 988—2619.

LEGION (1) — Sutton 474, Lewis 534, Field 505, Allen 505, Gordon 494, 832, 884, 799—2512.

MEN'S COMMERCIAL LEAGUE
Tuesday Night, Dec. 9
Popular talk around the Bolo-drome Tuesday night was the sudden demise of Simpson's Sash and Door, league champions for last year. According to reports, the team announced shortly before game times Tuesday night, it was folding up. Another team was drawn from Weeden's Garage and thrown into the breach.

Bill Pearson, Kelowna Motors, had himself a big night, grabbing both individual honors with his 329 and 817. Team single went to Scott Plumbing, but Mitchell's team had a hand in something and their

SKI BOWL CHRISTIES
By BILL SAUNDERS
KELOWNA SKI BOWL, Sunday Dec. 14—When I have played the part of target-for-tonight for the last day or two over my misjudgment of Ski Bowl's A reel of film kiddies, which was supposed to come up with some snow skiing and had a thaw before it got started. That was water they were skiing on, wasn't it?

However, we did get some darn good instruction in the art of skiing here today. This was the wind-up of the ski school for instructors. After a rigorous week of lectures, training, and examinations these boys had to demonstrate their ability to put the lessons over to the student. A great many skiers were on hand to avail themselves of this free instruction and the systematized manner in which these classes were held had every evidence of well trained and qualified instructors for the future.

Kelowna Ski Club now has three ski instructors who will give instruction to club members in the Bowl on a regular schedule which is to be drawn up. Instruction of this calibre can not be over-emphasized as there is only one way to learn ski skiing and that is by proper instruction. I might add that riding a pair of planks down a hill in an uncontrolled wide-open manner doesn't make one a skier—in fact, far from it!

Monday, Dec. 15—Classes of ski instruction under Peter Vajda and Chess Edwards were held today. Some twenty-five club skiers dragging their tired selves back up to the bowl for this. And now, after its over, I'm even more tired and battered than if that is possible.

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIR
The picture is starting to form for this big day. Dates are now set for January 24 and 25. For this occasion, a ski event unprecedented equal, Kelowna will play host to the cream of Varsity skiers from the Pacific North West. And in many places the name of Kelowna is going to become well-known over the air, in the papers and by word of mouth. If we make this a success—and we will, with the never-fail Kelowna spirit—it could become regular winter attraction due to the easy accessibility of our exciting ski-ing terrain.

Members of the house committee are hoping you are all making big plans to attend the skier's Boxing Day Dance. It looks like a big night.

(2) 172, handicap 279, 668, 767, 888—2323.

C.Y.O. (1) — Heitzman 448, Stoltz 265, Zerr 380, Hromek (2) 306, Bain (2) 178, Eddyvean (2) 367, 609, 689, 846—1944.

WILMINGTON'S (3) — Vidler 359, Guidi 562, Mattiodi 310, Bohlage 520, Dahlgren 335, handicap 44, 770, 778, 622—2170.

O.C. LAUNDRY (2) — Welsh 476, Schnurr 346, Marty 524, Urbis 507, Ritchie 414, handicap 69, 732, 705, 899—2336.

BANK OF MONTREAL (2) — Flegel 519, Brooks 586, Jackson 423, Zerr 498, L.S. 321, 746, 738, 844—2328.

BOWLERIES (4) — Pritchard 400, Frey 442, Goudie 492, Johns 330, Atkinson 337, handicap 57, 684, 673, 701—2058.

GREENHORNS (0) — Oghorn 372, Lane 344, Anderson 329, Newton 455, L.S. 304, 595, 621, 592—1808.

JOKERS (1) — Buhman 561, Laduebe 478, Bridges 451, Tuddenham (2) 220, Wladyska (2) 233, Macdonald (2) 276, handicap 2, 878, 660, 683—2221.

LIBELIN'S (3) — Anderson 570, Smith 503, Guidi 495, Knorr 422, DalCol 252, handicap 39, 767, 815, 699—2281.

Kelowna Bears Lose Out By Close 50-46 Count

Kelowna Bears almost evened the score with Penticton Monday night, losing out 50-46 to the Penticton Monarchs in one of the closest and most exciting cage games seen in Penticton for several months.

Strengthened with Dick Zaccarelli and Jack Bogness back in the line-up, neither saw action in the Saturday night game here when the Bears went down 46-33—Bears put up the type of a fight that made them early season favorites to cop the Interior Basketball Association playoff battle.

During the past month, Bears have lost a lot of prestige, losing some easy games, and generally becoming a disappointment to fans who followed their chart closely. But Monday night, at Penticton, they fought their way back into the groove, and but for a break or two in the dying minutes of the game, the balance could have leaned Kelowna's way just as easy.

Neck-and-Neck
Playing with the new coach, Don Horton, at the helm, the Kelownians kept pace with the defenders almost to the end. The score was knotted at 16-16 at quarter-time, and Bears had a 27-26 lead at half-time. Indicating the trend of the play, each side matched basket for basket and as the thirty-minute mark rolled around, Penticton and Kelowna were still tied, 35-35.

Sammartino, who on Saturday night was the leading scorer, was a one-man show at Penticton Monday, piling up the impressive total of 26 points. Zaccarelli was the main point-getter for the Bears with 14. Hank Tostenson was on the sidelines with a strained back.

Orioles Trounced
Penticton's intermediate A's once again demonstrated their one-on-one superiority over Kelowna Orioles, denuding the Birds 59-29, in a preliminary fixture. Orioles lost here Saturday, to the same outfit, 48-21.

KELOWNA BEARS—Wednesday
Bogness 4, Zaccarelli 14, Jennings 5, C. Tostenson 9, Chapman 4, Ardiel 5, James 5, Total—50.

PENTICTON—Kelly 12, Kenyon 4, McGannon 6, Smuin 8, Pollock, Kains, Sammartino 26, Total—56.

OVER THE FENCE
By W.L. MacKay

The Old Timer started off oratorically this morning.

"Everyone wants a good standard of living," he said. "What's the answer to it?"

"To my mind there is just one answer—produce! This business of 'feather-bedding' and all that sort of thing is just silly.

"Have you seen the ads the British government is running, telling the working men and women of England that the one and only way they can get the things they want is just to go to work and work their hardest, every day. That is a socialist government, but they are talking sense, and it is sense for us here in Canada or in any other part of the world.

"Britain is in a tough spot now, and here in Canada we are in a lucky spot. We've got everything, or almost everything. Our standard of living is high. But when you think what it might be, if each and every one of us went to work and turned in the biggest day's work that we're capable of, why there is simply no telling how prosperous this country could be.

"Wages? We could earn the highest wages in the world if all of us just went out and did each day the biggest day's work that we can.

"That, to my mind, is the answer to every real question ahead of us. Work, produce, and nothing can hold us back."

(The views of the Old Timer are presented weekly in this newspaper under the sponsorship of the British Columbia Federation of Trade and Industry.)

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Capacity crowds attending the mass gym display of Kelowna High School at the Scout Hall, Thursday and Friday nights, found the exhibitions put on by the 250 pupils very exacting and entertaining.

Thursday nighters had an added privilege of listening to Ernie Lee, provincial director for the department of physical education, Victoria, who came to Kelowna to open the mass display. He gave a brief talk on the advantages of physical education to school children and adults.

G. C. Hume, chairman of Kelowna School District 23, addressed the jammed house briefly on Friday night. Purposes of the display was to show the effects of physical education in the school classes and to procure new equipment with the proceeds.

Highlights for both nights were the couple routine and the tumbling of the senior boys foursome. The "dancing for fun" routine was very appealing to the crowds.

In charge of the gym display were three physical ed teachers from the school, Mrs. Eileen Ashley, Ches Larsen and John Gowan.

SHOW SKI PICTURES
Members of the B.P.O. Elks were treated to a film showing at the Elks Home on Monday night when the Kelowna Ski Club showed colored films of improvements that have been made on the Kelowna Ski Bowl.

Don Kolloway, slugger for the Boston White Sox, left, could do better showing Tom Hogan of Chicago how to swing a baseball bat, but that is slightly out of season. Kolloway played in 124 games and batted 278-fourth high for the White Sox. He had planned to devote the winter to basketball officiating, but changed his mind and is selling sports goods in a Chicago store.

For Additional Sport See Pages 10 and 11

Large Silver Cup Property of League Champions, Kelowna Red Sox

The official symbol of 1947 supremacy in the Okanagan Baseball League arrived in the city last week and is at present on display at Bonke's Ltd.

The large silver cup purchased by the league this year is the property, for this year at least, of the Kelowna Red Sox, a fighting, clever ball club that won the ball crown even though the final game with Brewster was never played.

Also to be shown with the "American" mug is the Mitchell Cup, put up by Eric Mitchell, Kelowna sportsman. The donor intended the league to accept it as a championship trophy but apparently the league decided to purchase its own.

In all now, there are four annual challenge cups in the league. Kelowna has two, Omak has one for ending on top at the conclusion of scheduled games, and Brewster has the former league cup which it won last year and declined to give up to Kelowna this year.

TRANSPORTATION WORRIES LOCAL HOCKEY TEAM

Transportation worries are beginning to put frowns on the directors of the Kelowna Aces hockey club. This week a chartered bus was left behind in the city because of lack of patronage.

Against this incident of having more than needed comes up the "nightmares" for practice sessions. Then the boys have to scrounge

Local Cagers to Oppose Vancouver Normal Team

Just to prove that they are adept at teaching basketball as well as the three R's, Vancouver Normal School's cage team will stop here on Saturday during its tour of the Interior.

That version is strictly Vancouver's, of course. To hear the Kelowna Bears tell it, it will be the Normal School that will learn a thing or two about the finer points of the game. Anyhow, both quintets will be going at their best at the Scout Hall Saturday night.

As a preliminary to the senior game, which is billed to start at 9.15, a fast intermediate B game has been arranged. For the first time in Kelowna, Rutland will show its wiles and try to twist the tails of the Moose Lodge inter B's. First game gets underway at 8 p.m.

All-Kelowna Day
Plans are near completion for the holding of the annual All-Kelowna Day of basketball on Boxing Day at the Scout Hall. Opposing the Kelowna senior Bears will be a fine bunch of formerly local talent home from the coast and other points for the Christmas holiday.

A proposed visit here of the U.B.C. Chiefs on December 27 was called off recently. Local officials said the arrangements became tangled up and it was considered best all around to cancel the call.

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Two men, appearing in city police court on charges of exceeding the speed limit in the city, were fined \$5. They were A. G. Blackwood, on December 6, and N. H. McKinnon, on December 9.

Charged in city police court December 8 with intoxication in a public place, J. Ryder and J. Cleary were each fined \$10.

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SWIVEL CHAIR FARMING

By "Agricola"

The annual meeting of the Washington State Horticultural Association was held in Wenatchee last week. This was a three day affair and at the peak of attendance there were over 1,500 people present. Jimmie Marshall and Dick Palmer were feature speakers on the program. I went over to the Farm to ascertain their impressions of the meetings. The following paragraphs embody some of the information which I gathered.

Although the Washington State Horticultural Association is comparable in many respects to our own B.C.F.G.A., the annual meeting serves quite a different purpose. The Washington Association matters of policy are dealt with largely by the executive and by special committees, with the result that business sessions took up very little time at the annual meeting. The program was made up largely of addresses by government experts and growers with long experience. Almost every phase of fruit production was dealt with in the address this year. These addresses will all be published in the Annual Proceedings which are distributed to every member in good standing. Thus in Washington an attempt is made to have the annual meeting serve the purpose of the Chautauqua program which is customarily brought to B.C.F.G.A. locals throughout the winter months. Actually, the procedure followed in British Columbia has many advantages.

Most of the papers presented at

Wenatchee dealt with information which is already available to growers in British Columbia. However, it is interesting to note that Dr. L. P. Batjer of the U.S. Bureau of Plant Industry presented data which indicates that the hormone "top-drop" sprays have real value in lengthening the harvesting season and improving the quality of apples when the sprays are properly used.

A new idea regarding the control of fire blight in pears was advanced by R. V. Newcomb, of Maryville, California. Mr. Newcomb has charge of over a thousand acres of Bartlett pears and has had excellent results from applying copper dust as a preventative for fire blight infection. Several applications of the dust are made during the blossoming period, when a good deal of fire blight infection normally takes place.

Another interesting new development was reported by Dr. R. C. Lindner who described a chemical test for virus diseases in plants. It is hoped that chemical tests will make it possible to determine whether or not trees are affected with such virus diseases as Little Cherry. A most interesting and informative feature of the Wenatchee meetings was the question box. Prior to the meeting a long list of questions from the entire membership had been circulated in an endeavor to ascertain what questions they would like to have answered during the meetings. A long list of questions had been secured, these were actually printed in the program and a time set apart on each of the three days during which the questions were answered by experts. This procedure brought out definite information on many phases of orcharding.

Another novel feature of the program was a symposium on orchard soil management. This consisted of ten minute talks by a number of practical growers as well as technical investigators. The topics discussed were designed to cover the entire field of orchard soil management including cover crops; use of fertilizers, and irrigation practices. All things considered, the Wenatchee meetings appear to have been well worth attending. In this connection it is interesting to note that several growers and packinghouse managers from British Columbia made the trip. Membership in the Washington State Horticultural Association is only \$1.00 per year. A copy of the proceedings should be worth many times this amount to British Columbia fruit growers.

GIRL GUIDES PASS TESTS

The regular meeting of the Girl Guide Company was held Monday night at the Scout Hall. Miss Ritchie was awarded her lieutenant's warrant, to the great pleasure of the entire company. The business meeting consisted of games and marching and preparations for the party to be held for the Brownies on December 23.

Tests passed were by Georgina O'Hara, health rules; Kathleen Archibald, teaching health rules; Lois Underhill, homemaker; Marie de Puyffer, Scouts' pace and walk.

Vera Foote, Marlene Mandel and Lorraine Sheffield passed their bed-making, Scouts' pace and walk.

The regular meeting will be held next Monday evening when final arrangements for the party will be made.

CHILTON, Bucks, England—(CP)—Frederick Funnell and Florence Hallworth, both aged 67, who met four months ago, were married recently.

WATER HOLE PROVES "DUD" AT PEACHLAND

Peachland Endeavors to Augment Domestic Water System by Digging Hole

DIFFICULTIES

Hard Strata Reached at Eight Feet—May Look for Another Location

PEACHLAND—The regular meeting of the Municipal Council was held in the Municipal Hall Thursday afternoon, December 11. Councilor F. Topham, Jr., reported on his findings in regard to augmenting the domestic water supply. As authorized by the reeve and council, a test hole was dug by a bulldozer at the suggested site. Water was found at approximately seven feet, and hole was dug by hand to eight and a half feet. The first seven and a half feet was gravel and sand strata and the next foot very hard strata of sand, clay and large rocks. It was impossible to dig further. A test for quantity of water was made with a pump by Z. C. Witt. The water in the hole was pumped out in one minute, but none seeped through the bottom of the hole. Unless the hole can be lowered, with the idea of breaking through the strata to find more water, the project does not seem practicable.

Councilor Topham suggested that other methods of pumping be investigated as, in his opinion, this will be the only way to augment the present uncertain domestic water supply. There was some discussion about finding another location, or pumping from the lake.

Make Grant
A grant of \$100.00 was given to the Peachland Fire Association to help with the fixing up of the inside of the hall. A donation of \$20.00 was granted towards the Community Christmas Tree Fund. The police reported for November that the mileage amounting to 330 miles. The reeve and council wondered why this mileage was so high, and again expressed dissatisfaction over cost of policing as compared with service rendered.

A letter was received from Dr. A. N. Beattie that the nuisance ground was in bad shape. It was thought it should have a road fixed up to allow trucks to turn. Councilor G. M. Finlayson mentioned that the nuisance ground sign, supposedly in the creek, had disappeared altogether. There were some other signs in the creek while the "scotch light" sign (auto camp) had been taken away on Halloween night. He suggested that the nuisance ground be fixed up in the spring.

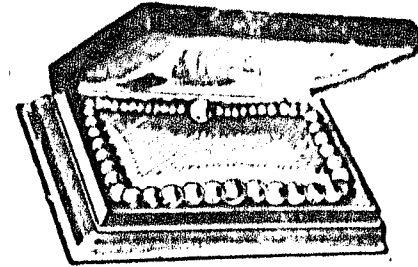
The fire hydrants had been flushed out and drained and were all in good shape.

Deny Charge
The clerk mentioned it had been said that the Returning Officer had closed nominations at twelve o'clock and nominations had been received till 2 p.m. as per the Election Act. This was corroborated by Councilors C. F. Bradley and F. Topham, Jr. George Birkeland did not come in to sign the declaration form before 2 p.m., which is absolutely necessary before a candidate's acceptance form can be filed. Councilor C. F. Bradley reported roads had been snow ploughed, and piles of sand put along the side of Princeton Avenue. Arrangement have been made to scatter sand on roads to make them passable and safe as possible, and to put shale in holes at the bottom as Princeton Avenue and bad holes up the hill. Councilor Hawksley stated complaints had been received regarding voltage throughout the municipality, and thought the B.C. Power Commission should be so informed. The Councilors told of voltage dropping when electric appliances were plugged in. Houses with other piles of wires (220 volts) were not affected in this manner, but houses wired years ago suffered. Line wires to some houses are not heavy enough. This matter will be taken up with Mr. Riley to see if any improvement can be had in the service.

ENFIELD, Middx., England—(CP)—Mary Bennett, who recently celebrated her 100th birthday, was known locally as the "lady who never grumbles."

MORECAMBE, Lancs., England—(CP)—Oldest surviving member of The King's Own Royal Regiment is 94-year-old William Harvey.

BOURNEMOUTH, England—(CP)—Court Royal, a luxury hotel, has been converted into a convalescent home for South Wales miners.



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SASKATCHEWAN'S CO-OP VENTURES MAKING HEADWAY

More Than 14,000 Acres Now Under Cultivation in Community Schemes

REGINA—(CP)—On eight co-operative farms in Saskatchewan, some 94 men and their families look to the day when their joint efforts will bring financial security and the comforts of city life to their isolated farms.

By pooling their labor and resources they believe they can farm more efficiently and more effectively and by developing model communities on co-operative farms they hope to have a community life hitherto unknown in sparsely-settled sections of rural Saskatchewan. More than 14,000 acres now are under cultivation on co-op farms and most farms will break more new soil next summer. But only in general outlines are they alike. Three are machinery co-ops where individual farmers jointly own equipment for use on their own farms. Two specialize in dairy farming and are, in some cases, sidelines for their members. On the other three, land, houses and equipment are owned co-operatively with model villages growing up at communal living sites.

But all follow strict accounting methods and must file annual financial reports with the provincial co-operatives department. Some have financial assistance from Saskatchewan's co-op-conscious government and all have government encouragement.

On the three "complete co-ops" at Matador in the southwest and at Meskanaw and Turgis in the northeast—members working the farms receive regular wages—usually the "going-rate" for farm help. Any profits are reinvested or distributed as dividends to members on the basis of time worked during the year.

Profits for Workers
Only those who work share the profits. Members who contribute nothing but capital get nothing but interest—limited to five per cent by provincial legislation. Supporters of co-op farming claim

it permits more specialization and diversification. With as many as 19 men working as much as 8,000 acres they can keep more livestock, buy better machinery and grow sufficiently-diversified crops to protect themselves if one crop fails.

They say too, their communal living projects will make possible modern comforts that would not be possible if they lived in scattered holdings. Seven miles of roads, for example, link the Matador farm with the nearest village—60 miles would be needed if the 17 members split the farm's land into separate holdings. Similar savings apply to electric power and water supplies.

Regular—sometimes weekly—meetings decide farm policy on a "one member, one vote" basis with an elected board of directors supervising the farm between meetings. To frequent charges that Saskatchewan's co-operative farms resemble the U.S.S.R.'s collective farms, members reply that co-op farming is the quickest way they know of becoming "big farmers." Most of them have a long way to go—financial reports released by the co-operatives department at the end of 1946 show an average member's equity of a little more than \$3,000 and an average dividend in 1946 of \$245 to members of the fully-co-operative farms.

So far, it's been no easy road to riches. But few of them would return to individual farming. This way, they say, they have security and a newly-found social life.

HAIR DIVIDES THEM
All mankind, according to certain ethnologists, can be divided into three kinds—those with woolly hair, wavy hair or straight hair.

PAWLEY, Hampshire, England—(CP)—Approval for a £200,000 (\$200,000,000) scheme for the extension of Agwi Petroleum Corporation's refinery here will make it one of the largest in Europe.

SEAFORD, Sussex, England—(CP)—A giant wave crashed against a bus on the promenade here, injuring six people.

AHEAD OF TIME
Nicholas Appert, a French chef, in 1810 found that food would keep if it were properly heated and placed in hermetically sealed containers.

DISPLAYS GROWN AT NIAGARA, ONT.,



John Lamoureux, of Preston and Chatham, Ont., winner of the general proficiency prize at graduation exercises at the School for Apprentice Gardeners, Niagara Falls, Ont., proudly displays some of his roses for Mrs. Daley, wife of Hon. Charles Daley. The school, only one of its kind on the continent, is operated by the Niagara Parks commission, of which Mr. Daley is chairman. Some 14 young men, most of them veterans, were presented with graduation diplomas after taking a three year course.

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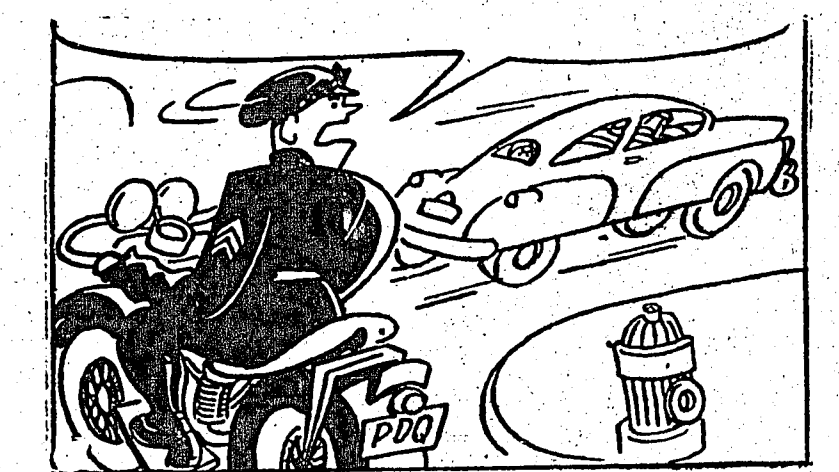
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LONDON—(CP)—West Ham district residents temporarily vacated their homes while a 500-pound bomb, dropped in 1940, was located and detonated.

ETON, England—(CP)—Richard Holton, known as "Cherries" to thousands of Eton College boys because for more than 40 years he sold the fruit from a barrow, died aged 70.

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Noted Ice Skating Stars Taking Part In Vernon Ice Carnival

Annual Frolic Sponsored by Rotary Club Takes Place December 27 and 29

VERNON — Two Canadian and North American Skating Champions stopping off on route to Zurich, Switzerland for the Olympic finals, will head the list of 117 participants in the Vernon Rotary Ice Carnival, Saturday, December 27 and Monday, December 29. They are Suzanne Morrow, Junior and Senior Women's Champion of Canada and North America and Wally Diestelmeyer, Junior and senior men's champion of Canada and North America. They will be flanked by a group of thirteen stars from the Silver Blades Skate Club of Spokane, Washington, and by a group of twelve polished artists who will come from Vancouver under the direction of the famous Verna Miles Fraser.

Mrs. Fraser will stage three spectacles: (1) an elaborate "Ballet in Blue"; (2) "No Business Like Show

Business" full of novelty and surprise and (3) "Toy Town Express" with fifty Vernon youngsters especially trained for this event.

Wally and Suzanne will skate their 1948 Olympic solos and pairs and will contribute other numbers more fluid and more sensational than the official competition tests. Spokane is bringing a solo champion, Miss Paddy Ruby; The famous Ingham twins, Shirley and Vivian, in a pair and a quartette made up of Paddy Ruby, Louise Waugh, David Pencoskey and Bobby Throop, whose mother is one of the pros at the Spokane Arena which her husband owns and operates.

Thrilling Comedy
Gordon Casey, the noted Pro of the Silver Blades Skate Club and Mrs. Gladys Throop will skate in singles and will present a thrilling comedy number labeled "Sophisticated."

Then the celebrated "Educated Horse—Tamey" will put on a show of its own. The secret information on Tamey is that David Pencoskey is the head, Robert Klassen, the tall with eight young ladies, Joan Hiding, Shirley and Vivian Ingham, Gail Jackson, Louise Waugh, Marcia Robinson, Gail Hollister and Paddy Ruby, making up the rest of the act under cover. This is reported to be one of the cleverest stunts on ice ever staged in British Columbia.

This notable troupe from Spokane is accompanied by its trainer, Claude Malone, who has been skating for forty-seven of his fifty-five years.

Exceptionally fine spectacles are promised by Vernon talent. The carnival will open with "The Spanish Fiesta" with twenty-four participants in marvellous costumes directed by Marshall Garrett, the producer being Walter Bennett. The costumes are being brought from Toronto especially for this act.

The Rotary Carnival will be marked by the premiere of the Vernon Highland Girls Band of eighteen members, which has been brought to a high pitch of excellence by its coach, Horace Foote. The eighteen pipers have been practicing assiduously for months and will make their first appearance in the gorgeous spectacle of "The Queen's Coronation."

The Vancouver contingent, always outstanding will bring stars in their own right, including Anne Aubin and Jean Watkin and other such favorites as Bill Lewis, Jean Ross, Bonnie Vincent, Bernice McKaye and Ted Dealey. Adding lively interest to the carnival is the honorary membership ticket campaign which means that the holder of the lucky ticket will win a new car.

RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

By ELEANOR FUGGER

The Rutland high school drama class presented two one-act plays on Thursday, December 4. The first play was "Who Gets The Car Tonight," a comedy taking place in a modern home. The cast was as follows: Mr. Jones, Russell Graft; Mrs. Jones, Marion Muford; Paul Jones, Donnie Gillard; Mary Jones, Mary Zvonierich; Jack, Walter Grenke.

During the intermission Leonard Neave recited a poem "The Owl," by James Fields, and Grade VIII girls sang Christmas songs with the audience joining in the chorus. Rosemary Paul, a grade VIII student, sang a solo, "Flow Gently Sweet Afton." The High School Girls Choir sang "The Blue Danube" in two parts. "Sleep Holy Babe" in three parts, and "The Bells of Salem" in two parts. Mr. Billy Reid directed all the singing. Mr. Campbell led the audience in singing Christmas carols.

The second play "The Ugly Duckling" was a comedy of the eighteenth century. The King and Queen, Tony Brummett and Isabelle Selben, were trying to marry off their supposedly ugly daughter, Brenda Shunter, with the help of the Chancellor, Ernie Day, and a lady-in-waiting, Dulcibella, played by Dianna Constantini. Prince Simon, Bobby Hush, finally marries the beautiful princess with the help of his attendant, Carlo, who was played by Danny Bach. At the end of the program the class presented Mr. Hopkins, director, with a gift. Caroline Schneider, vice-president of the school, was the announcer. The cast will journey to Olyana on December 12.

The Students' Council has decided to order more school sweaters this year. The students who have just entered the school did not receive any last year and therefore wish to purchase them. School crests have been ordered and are on the way. Ping-Pong tournaments will be run off after Christmas.

Christmas parties are being organized by the different classes. These are to be held on the last day of school before Christmas.

DAYS BEYOND RECALL
We are pleased to know that a moderate-sized adding machine has been developed for use in the home. Remember when one could add one's bills with just the aid of a pencil and paper?
—Minneapolis (Man.) Tribune

SOUTH OKANAGAN VALLEY NEWS ROUNDUP

A SPIRITED MEETING OF the South Okanagan Valley Association was held in PENTICTON last week, and the association went on record as being opposed to separation. Sparked by a heated discussion on the irrigation problems of the north Okanagan, the separation problem, the pros and cons of employing a town manager, and the municipal election, the meeting, attended by some 35 ratepayers, advanced on a theme that all has not been satisfactory in the past year's municipal administration. Councillor Johnson defended the civic administration during the past year, and said that shortage of labor and materials was the reason for the repair work had been done on the irrigation system. When the town manager question was discussed, Mr. Johnson defended the present system by saying that the "town manager" system was an Americanism, and impractical and there was nothing to prevent a town manager from incurring a tremendous debt at the expense of the taxpayers. He also said the municipal engineer and the municipal clerk were, in effect, already the town managers.

AT PRINCETON, PROSPER CHOQUE, 22, was instantly killed last week when hit by a skidding three-ton truck on the Hope-Princeton highway, about two and a half miles out of Princeton. John Byrnes was driving a light truck and towing a three-ton truck in which Choque was riding at the time. The vehicle skidded to a halt, and the young man jumped. However, he failed to clear the then-overturning vehicle and was crushed beneath it.

ACTUAL RECEIPTS FOR the first ten months of 1947 amounted to \$476,733.79 according to the interim statement of receipts and disbursements issued at the Penticton municipal hall last week. Against this figure were actual disbursements of \$439,468.35. The figures estimated for the balance of the year, a two month period, amount to \$147,470 in receipts and \$167,071.02 in expenditures.

PENTICTON RESIDENTS ARE boasting over the fact they have a disease-free town as well as scenic beauty. The entire month of November was free from deaths in the municipality.

PENTICTON'S ZONING COMMISSIONERS, mindful of the ever-growing population in the Westview area, where the construction of wartime housing units is the current feature of activity, last week inspected the whole surrounding district, and reached the decision that there should be some enlargement of the commercial zone thereabouts. At the present time the area is zoned for residential requirements. The only exception has been in one small four-corner section, at the intersection of Government street and Nelson Avenue, where stores would be permitted. On only one corner, the southeast, is there any store at the present time. It is the only store to serve the whole area.

PENTICTON EX-SERVICEMEN occupying wartime houses were awarded prize last week as a result of their efforts in developing their homes. Syd Hodge, administrator of wartime housing in Penticton, said the cheques will be mailed in time for Christmas. The contest was

PEACHLAND W.I. MEMBERS HOLD YULE PARTY

PEACHLAND—Many visitors attended an enjoyable meeting of the Women's Institute held in the Municipal Hall, Friday, December 12. The president, Mrs. J. Cameron, welcomed the visitors, and hoped they would enjoy both the business and social parts of the meeting, and find out a little of the work done. She mentioned the motto was for home and country, and the colors of the Institute, green, white and gold.

A letter was read from the Canadian Association of Consumers, asking for members and for a local branch to be formed. Five dollars was donated towards the Sperry Phillips Scholarship Fund. The Institute at Ross on Whye, Herefordshire was adopted, and it was decided to send a parcel each month. Mrs. H. S. McDonald suggested that when members leave the community they should be presented with an engraved silver spoon. Mrs. Cameron extended Christmas greetings and wishes for a happy new year to the members and visitors, and took charge of a short musical program. The program included a duet by Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. W. E. Clements, "Silent Night"; Mrs. McDonald sang "The Christmas Story"; members sang carols; a solo by Mrs. Clements, "O, Little Town of Bethlehem"; and two amusing readings by Mrs. F. E. Witt, "What the Executive has to do," and "Execution Deferred."

The tea tables were decorated with yellow and green streamers and beautiful yellow and white mums grown by Mr. and Mrs. J. Cameron in their greenhouse. The Christmas cake was iced and decorated in green and yellow by Mrs. P. C. Gerrie. Miss M. Leach, Mrs. A. E. Miller and Mrs. H. S. McDonald served tea. A vote of thanks was tendered by Mrs. G. R. Topham on behalf of the guests to Mrs. Cameron and the executive. A gaily decorated Christmas Tree also lent color to the hall.

A birthday party for Mrs. W. Spence was held at the home of Mrs. H. M. Johnson last week. Gifts were presented, and making up the two tables of bridge were Mrs. G. R. Topham, Mrs. A. Topham, Mrs. M. Ferguson, Mrs. V. M. Cousins, Mrs. N. Evans, Mrs. P. Gaynor. A beautiful birthday cake centred the tea tables.

Mrs. M. Ferguson entertained guests at bridge Tuesday, December 9, with three tables in play, the first prize going to Mrs. C. W. Aitkens, with the consolation to Mrs. R. C. Redstone.

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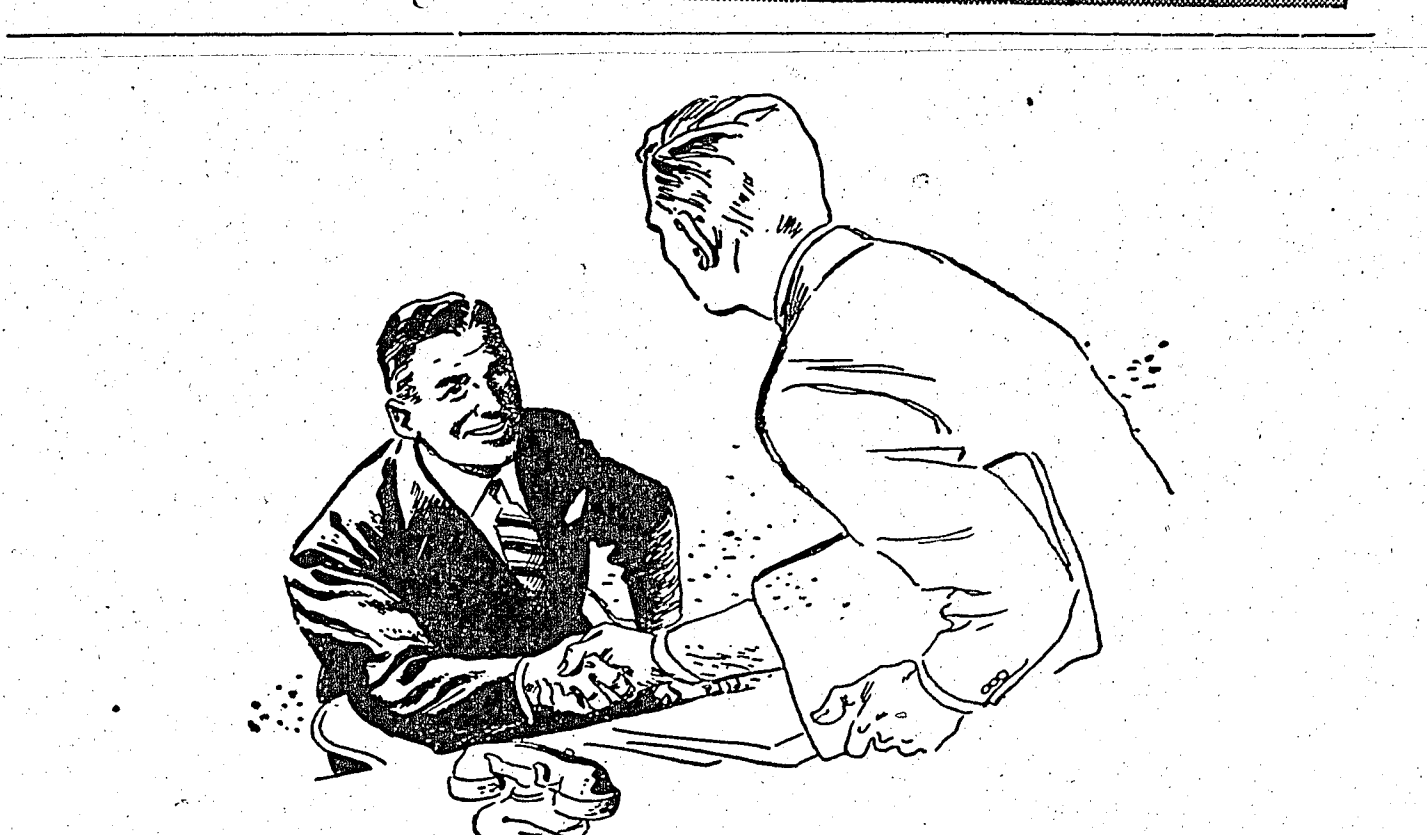
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Cheerfully bustling about, the family creates contented chaos, for Christmas Eve without confusion would lack in geniality and warmth. There's Mother struggling with the noble turkey; she vows that next time the roasting pan will be a bigger one... this bird will never fit. But Mother has been saying that for year.

Upon the beaming face of Dad there

sits a look of comical perplexity; again he has forgotten—the lights go on before the ornaments.

Whirlwinds and hurricanes spin noisily from room to room... the kids won't go to bed. Well, let them whoop it up a little longer. What's Christmas for if children can't enjoy it.

Out of it all... the mistletoe and holly, the gaily coloured wrappings, the warmly beating hearts... there comes again to reassure mankind a day of Faith, and Hope, and Charity—Christmas unchanged within a changing world.

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EAST KELOWNA SEEKING FUNDS FOR PROJECTOR

EAST KELOWNA—The monthly meeting of the East Kelowna P.T.A. was held in the school, Wednesday, December 10. Spencer Dyson was in the chair and the minutes were read by the secretary. There was a good turn out, in spite of the weather.

In future P.T.A. meeting will be held on the second Monday in each month instead of Wednesday. There are now 78 paid up members in the East Kelowna Parent-Teacher Association.

A. M. Thompson was appointed convener of the Community projector. The following committee composed of M. Barwick, R. A. Widmeyer, H. B. Perry and A. H. Rogers, will canvass the district for funds to purchase a projector, which will be used for entertainment and education in the community for children and adults.

M. Barwick gave an interesting talk, his subject was "The Relation of the Home to the School." He said the school could not perform miracles in developing the school children, but if the home could try to carry out the following points as near as possible, it would be a great help to both the teachers and the children:

1. More affection in the home.
 2. Reasonable discipline.
 3. Good habits and ideals.
- It was decided to make a collection at the monthly meetings and the card drives to help the soup fund. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the P.T.A.

EAST KELOWNA SCOUT TROOP GETS CHARTER

EAST KELOWNA—Last Friday a number of parents and friends gathered in the Community Hall for the presentation of a charter and badges to the Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, Brownies and Cubs by the district commissioner.

An interesting film was shown on Scout life, which was enjoyed by the young people, followed by songs by the Guides and Scouts. Later in the evening refreshments were served by the Ladies of the committee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ferguson have returned from a fortnight holiday spent in Trail, visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Price.

Mrs. Harold Bailey, who has been a patient in the Kelowna Hospital, has returned to her home.

Mrs. H. Harsent is spending a few days in Vernon, visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. Goldsmith.

Mrs. H. Neid, who has been a patient in the Kelowna Hospital is recuperating at home.

IT'S IN THE GAME

By AL DENEGRIE

DOUBLING UP AGAIN

Last time I went to print about my recent marriage was on November 20 (no relation to the Princess wedding). At that time I commented, "I wonder now why I waited so long to get married." For the information of any Eager Beavers (any similarity here with our new editor is purely coincidental), I haven't found an answer. I am still wondering!

My bride and I, mutually agreeing as usual at this early stage, consented to keep our affairs out of this column. But Saturday night, at the Scout Hall, 300 sports and fans pulled off the coup of the year, because I got married, and such an event cannot pass unnoticed. It was our good fortune, Lee's and mine, to be presented with a beautiful expensive set of silver flatware and as nice a combined end magazine-utility table as ever you could wish for.

So once more we two start to figuring we are the luckiest couple in the city. During those precious few moments at the Scout Hall Saturday night, I could not help recalling how kind everyone has been to us. Even now I still try to argue the justification of such an extravagant, splendid gesture.

THANKS A LA KING

During my trembling, stuttering acknowledgment of that memorable occasion, there was much I forgot to say. Actually there is so much that could be said and should be said, but I am at a loss how to say it. Our thanks, our heartfelt gratitude, to all who shared in the lovely gifts.

We are particularly thankful to the man who was a prime mover in this—I am bound not to mention his name, but everyone probably has a good idea. To give a clue, he is a great sports lover himself and he has done more for sport in his own way than I can ever hope to do. I understand a full list of contributors, both individuals and clubs, is being prepared. Until I can thank each, this message of gratitude will have to do. Special mention to BILL SPEAR and MAYOR HUGHES-GAMES who handled the ceremony. I don't agree with His Worship about what he said I have done for sport but it was nice of him to say it.

I still maintain that sport, every type and section, is tops in this department. Let's all pull together to make Kelowna the sports centre of the Interior. Now wouldn't that be something? It can be done, I honestly believe.

CAGE REFLECTIONS

After Saturday night's game at the Scout Hall, even in spite of the momentousness of the occasion, I tried not to lose myself completely in the clouds. In fact—this is business now—after the senior game, I was so disappointed with the Bear's showing, I was set to say some harsh things about the team and the coach. I have mellowed since then—but two feeble attempts in

a row to play the game is hard to shake off with a shrug. My impressions then and still are that Kelowna should have and could have won that game. Harold Pettman was disgusted with the proceedings, too, so much so that he blasted the boys for not trying hard enough to whip themselves into condition. A short time later he resigned as coach.

There was friction there; has been some time. That probably accounts for much of the laissez-faire attitude on the part of the team. That lack of harmony was probably the reason why one player worried the bench all Saturday night. He could have been a useful man on the floor. It is not my intention to play monitor but I won't do any harm to point out that it is the playing public that is to be pleased not the individual members. In sports its teamwork—that means work as well as play—that counts.

I am not alone when I say that not some time, but the finest basketball players developed in the city. More than that, I think he is one of the best coaches a city of this size could have. His successor, however, has big shoes to fill. Sportsmen in the city, particularly the cage followers, wish him luck. The team has the stuff in it. All it needs is to bring it out.

POTPOURRI

Even the bowling world was stirring last week when without warning SIMPSON'S SASH AND DOOR, last year's champs in the Men's Commercial Fivelin League, upped and quit. We got their views on it and in three words it was "We're fed up." What chance has a team, that really comes from the company or store that sponsors it, against hand-picked powerhouses, they ask. The present handicap system does not give the weak teams a chance said SANDY CAMOZZI.

Like virtually every other Kelowna fan at Tuesday night's senior B game in Vernon, I was pulling for the ACBS. I was pleased with the show for the first two acts. The Goulie Group showed some real promise. And like the others, I was disappointed, disillusioned when the Aces were taken off the ice in the third act over an apparently trivial matter. I would have been better to take a Salmon Arm trouncing (24-5) and finish the game than to pull out and leave a bad taste everywhere.

While on the same subject, the Aces may feel bad now. But wait until they read the Vernon reports. "They expect no mercy from the quarter. If press reports continue to come out of Vernon with the customary daring and recklessness, then our puck boys will feel lower than the snake's belt buckle."

BERT SAUCIER may be lost to Kelowna Bears if—but he's not betting in getting it—he lands a job here in getting in in Vancouver. The CLAYTON boys didn't last long in their coffee shop venture on the Vernon road. Both AUGIE and VINCE threw in the towel after a few rounds. "Can't drink (coffee, I think he meant) and train for the Golden Gloves at the same time," Vince, the Body Beautiful observed.

NEWMAN AGAIN HEADS GROWERS AT GLENMORE

GLENMORE—Ivor J. Newman was re-elected president of the Glenmore local B.C.F.G.A. at the annual meeting held recently. Secretary for the coming year will be J. R. Hume, while the executive will be Rex Marshall, Jr., Jim Snowsall, Chas. Henderson. Delegates to the 1948 B.C.F.G.A. convention to be held in Penticton next month will be Ivor Newman, Jim Snowsall, while district council members are Jim Snowsall, Rex Marshall, and E. J. Hume. A collection was taken at the meeting for the community children's party.

Andrew Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clarke, has returned from Royal Roads College, Victoria, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

The Glenmore Sunday school invites parents and friends to attend the Sunday morning session on December 21.

BENVOULIN

BENVOULIN—Mr. and Mrs. Hodgins have their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Le Cain, visiting them from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Munson motored to Kamloops a week ago Friday, returning on Saturday.

About 12 ladies of the P.T.A. met at the home of Mrs. N. Benzer last Wednesday at which time plans were made to make candy for the Christmas tree concert on Thursday.

A meeting was held at the home of Mrs. George Reid Saturday evening to discuss plans for the social evening to be held on January 9 in the Benvoulin United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Cotel, who have been staying at the home of E. Bianco, have moved to town.

The Benvoulin school Christmas concert will be held in the school Thursday, December 12, at 8 p.m.

The meeting of the McMillan Circle was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Alex Reid. Plans were made to have special carols at the Christmas service on December 28 in the Benvoulin United church.

Here for the school of instruction held at the Ski Bowl over the weekend were Ed Cormie, Chester Hulton and John Leir, of Penticton; Jim Baijo and Fred Hack, of Oliver; W. Thebes and Howard Ende, of Osoyoos, and Earle Santwell, of Vernon.

LONGFORD, Middx., England—(CP)—Villagers ducked when a large iron bar crashed amongst them. It had fallen from an aircraft which had just taken off from a nearby airport.

PROLIFIC WRITER—Linnaeus, Swedish botanist, during his life span of 70 years, wrote 150 books and brochures.

FOOD FROM CANADA FOR PRINCESS ELIZABETH



Some of the presents for Princess Elizabeth from Canada were in the form of food parcels. Left to right, Harry, 6, Anne, 11 and Joe, 3, children of Mrs. Violet Beerman of Tottenham, Eng., take a bite from a huge piece of chocolate cake.

Mr. Dudley Agassiz and his son, Geoffrey, left on Tuesday for Vancouver on receiving news of the commissioner for Shoreditch has died there of Mr. Geoffrey Bag-ven 107 blood transfusions—high-shows, Mr. Agassiz' brother-in-law, est authenticated record.

Charter Presented to East Kelowna Scout Troop at Colorful Ceremony

EAST KELOWNA—Ten boys of the 1st East Kelowna Boy Scout troop, took their promise and became members of the world-wide organization Tuesday of last week. The ceremony was witnessed by parents of the boys.

The boys invested were Teddy Johnson, Eddy Holitki, Tommy Harvie, Larry Hewlett, Howard Carter, Raymond Senger, Ramo Ito, Allan Borrett, George Koide, and George Markin. Louie Senger is Scout Master of the troop, and Tom Neid, assistant Scout Master.

Last Friday night, the group committee of the troop again played host when E. C. Weddell, Kelowna, presented the troop its charter. Mr. Weddell wished the troop good scouting and hoped that members would carry out at least one Scout promise each day of the week.

Mrs. Arbuckle, local Girl Guide Commissioner, also presented Mrs. Harold Hewlett the charter of the 1st Guide Company. She paid tribute to Mrs. Hewlett, stating the district is fortunate in having someone who would take a keen interest in the movement.

This ceremony was followed by the secretary of the group committee presenting the newly-formed Scout troop the Union Jack, a gift from an anonymous donor. Following the presentation, Mr. Borrett, chairman of the East Kelowna group committee, thanked all those who had helped in the formation of the Scout and Guide troop, and asked the parents to continue to support the young people.

If the parents are interested in what the boys and girls are doing, and are willing to help whenever they need help, the Scout and Guide road would be a happier one," he declared.

The evening came to a close with a showing of a movie on Scout and Guide work, followed by refreshments.

OKANAGAN CENTRE

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hunter motored to Penticton on Sunday to meet the latter's mother, Mrs. Schubert from Tulameen, who expects to spend the holidays at the Hunter home.

Mrs. H. Glead was hostess on Wednesday night last to the Citizens' Forum of the Centre. The Forum will meet this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter.

TURKEY SHOOT

If you are a Dead-Eye Dick or an Annie Oakley, then this will be right up your alley—if you haven't got your Christmas turkey yet.

Scores of turkeys will be had for the shooting on Sunday at the Exhibition Building. The starting gun goes off at 10 a.m. and the bird-shooting lasts until 5 p.m.

Organizers of the shoot, the Kelowna and District Rod and Gun Club, have arranged for open, peep and "scope" right shoots, to accommodate every type of shooter's arm.

So strap on your guns, Podnar, there's a mess of gobblers just waiting for the asking.

BALL PITCHER HAS PAINFUL EYE INJURY

Carlo Porco, Club 13 softball pitcher, is on the road to recovery after suffering a painful injury to his right eye.

Flying glass from a shattered car window pierced his eye while on a recent hunting trip. A delicate operation was performed and the glass removed. He is out of hospital now. No impairment of vision is expected.

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Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
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11:00 a.m.—

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Sunday, Dec. 21st
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8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
7:30 p.m.—Evangelism

The Archbishop of Kootenay will

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be his farewell visit prior to his

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10:00 a.m.—German Services.

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COUNCIL GRANTS TRADE LICENCES

City Council Monday night granted three trades licences, but ruled the application of an auto court proprietor would have to go through the usual channels before given the stamp of approval.

L. A. Bowser, 580 Doyle Ave., was granted a cleaners' licence; G. R. Rannard, 441 Bernard, retail trader's licence, and H. F. Payne, servicing and repairing refrigerators. Application of John Peter and Helene Olinget, who recently purchased the Red Top Auto Court, on the Vernon Road, was referred to the building and sanitary inspector. This is the usual procedure when granting rooming licences.

MRS. G. MUGFORD AGAIN HEADS RUTLAND W.I.

Annual Meeting of Women's Institute Held Wednesday Afternoon

RUTLAND — The annual meeting of the Rutland Women's Institute was held in the Community Hall last Wednesday afternoon. Election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the re-election of Mrs. George Mugford as president, and Mrs. F. Oslund as secretary-treasurer, and a new vice-president, Mrs. B. Heitzmann.

Members of the executive committee are Mrs. Ray Jacobs, Mrs. F. J. Hawkey, in addition to the president, vice-president and the secretary. The financial statement showed that the Institute had a very successful year, and the balance in the bank is \$223.34. The directors report gave the highlights of the year's activities, which included the flower show, baby show and picnic at Summerland, held jointly with the B.C.F.G.A. The various sub-committees will be chosen at the next meeting, to be held in January. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the retiring directors.

Miss Irene Hardin is home on a month's leave of absence from St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver.

George Mugford, a patient in the Kelowna Kootenay Hospital, underwent an operation for appendicitis.

A. L. Baldoock and George Craig drove down to Yakima and other U.S. apple centres in Washington this week as part of a delegation of K.C.F.E. directors and officials investigating cold storage facilities in that area.

Dan Gallagher, old time resident of the Mission Creek canyon, a patient in the Rutland Hospital at this time. His many friends in the district wish him a speedy recovery.

Newest business venture to open in the district is the Rutland Hardware store, under the management of Mr. L. W. Preston, which opened for business this week.

The Pro-Rec group is holding an "Old Time" dance in the hall on December 29.

More About 1 COMPANY MUST

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rod said that he thought it in the best interests of the city for a local firm to look after the garbage receptacles and for that reason he had financially assisted in the formation of the company. At one time this ex-servicemen were actively interested in the proposed company, but two had dropped out. Referring to Mr. Hamilton being a member of the firm, Mr. Wainwright said he thought it was too valuable a city employee to lose, and for that reason thought it in the best interests to Kelowna to augment his personal income to a small degree by including him in the partnership.

When the Legion letter was written to council, copy of which appeared in last Monday's Courier, Alderman Jack Horn said he agreed with the stand taken by the Legion. "The general public is educated to favor a veterans' organization if at all possible when allotting business," he said. "I think the Legion was well advised to take up the matter of the mis-use of the word veteran in any organization. In fairness to veterans generally, I would like to see the firm abandon the word veteran."

Alderman O. L. Jones concurred with the sentiments expressed by Mr. Horn.

Hume Lethbridge, a member of the advertising firm, replied to the letter sent to the council, and he too pointed out that it had been planned to change the name of the firm.

Text of the letter, addressed to W. J. Anderson, president of the Legion, read as follows:

"This afternoon I received the copy sent to me of your letter addressed to the Mayor and City Council."

"When the name Veterans Interior Advertising Agency was chosen, those active in the agency were veterans. The personnel was later changed, and it was recognized that the name should be altered. Incorporation papers were being prepared and the name of Interior Advertising Company Ltd. selected, and a reservation of this name made with the Registrar of Companies, before any of the members of the firm, or our solicitor, were aware that the Canadian Legion had even considered the matter."

"You will recognize from this that there was no thought on our part to capitalize unfairly on the use of the word 'veterans' in the name of the present partnership or company."

CHURCH HEADS CANVASS CITY

Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games reported that two men who said they were from the Church of the Latter Day Saints had requested permission to go from house to house to seek converts to their Mormon religion.

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MILITARY HUT TOO COSTLY

Alderman Walrod Says Moving Army Hut to Kelowna Would Be Expensive

The committee looking after the Lloyd-Jones Home has decided against recommending the purchase of an army building for expansion purposes. Alderman R. P. Walrod told the council last Monday night.

Alderman Walrod said the plan had been fully investigated, and it was thought it would cost more to move the buildings to Kelowna than it would be to build a new structure.

Quarried by Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games if he had any recommendations to make to the council regarding the home — Alderman Walrod stated his two year term on the Council the end of the year — he stated that while several suggestions have been considered, the committee had not arrived at any concrete proposals.

The committee realizes we need more space," Alderman Walrod said, adding that if an extension is put on to the present home, or if a new structure is planned, it should not be a two or three story affair as the old folks have difficulty climbing the stairs.

SONS OF ENGLAND BENEFIT SOCIETY Lodge "Orchard City" No. 310 Meets 3rd Wednesday each month Women's Institute Hall, Glenn Ave. Please note new location and time.

ORCHARD CITY LODGE No. 59 Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday, July, August and Sept. N.G. — Geo. Read Rec. Secretary—L. R. Stephens.

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Monday, December 22 — 5 p.m.
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Wednesday, December 24 — 5 p.m.
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SPORTS SPHERE

Kelowna Aces Leave Vernon Ice Amid Jeers From Crowd As Game Turns Into Fiasco

Game Comes to Abrupt Halt After Vernon Leading 11-2—Argument Comes to Head When Kelowna Hockey Coach Given Misconduct Penalty—Aces Retire to Dressing Room Amid Yells of "Poor Sports"—Kodiaks Humbled 11-0 by the Vernon Juveniles

By AL DENEGRIE

VERNON—Kelowna Aces lost their second start of the Mainline Hockey League season against Vernon, Tuesday night, but what the final outcome would have been will have to remain a mystery.

The Orchard City sextet was well on the way toward taking its second successive beating in the infant season from Vernon when the game came to an abrupt and unexpected ending at 15 minutes and 45 seconds of the third period. Vernon was leading 11-2 at that time.

Events leading up to the blow-up dressing room.

When the Kelowna management pulled the team off the ice are hard to piece together. But at the 15:45 mark, Eddie Witt was in the penalty box for his second trip that period; Jimmy Eldon, Kelowna wingman and Alex Kulay, Vernon coach-defenceman were cooling off for roughing, and Vernon had just scored its 11th goal, the sixth for that bitter, hard and rough third period.

Gourlie Waved Off

At the face-off, after the last goal was notched by Stan Grisedale from a scramble in front of Kelowna's harried netminder, Jack Biechel—Kelowna was playing one man short—there was a mix-up in the Kelowna zone. Referee Walker McNeil, of Lumby, motioned Coach Bud Gourlie to the box for a penalty.

From then on things happened fast and heavy. Gourlie protested; Manager Jim Clark jumped in on the argument. A misconduct penalty was added to Gourlie still on the ice and that did it. Tempers had reached the boiling point. Amid jeers from the crowd and with yells of "poor sports" echoing through the rafters, the Aces retired to the

In statements after the game, both Gourlie and Clark said it was not the intention to leave the game permanently but just to give the boys a rest. But for the 1,500 or so fans there, it will take a lot of convincing before they will believe that Kelowna wasn't through with the game. That goes for both Vernon

and Kelowna boosters.

Show Improvement

In the play itself, Kelowna showed a lot more class and power than during the first meeting the week before when the Aces lost 10-8. For two periods they made a fight of it and on one could say Vernon had much of an edge, if any, even though the score stood at 5-2 at the end of the second period.

But lack of conditioning and practices began to take their toll. Add to this an ever-rougher tempo on the part of both teams and only a poor effort on the part of the referees and Kelowna began to find the eight-ball creeping in front of them.

The tenor of the game was pretty well decided in the first ten minutes of the last chapter when the tired Aces began to sag and Stan Berry and Mike Zemla were given lots of scope to bang in rebounds on Biechel.

Poor Call

Then Witt, the only strong point on an otherwise weak defence, was put off for blowing. Came two fast goals in succession by Kulay and Johnny Loudoun. Next it was Eldon-Kulay roughing episode that raised temperatures some more. And finally, Witt, coming back on the ice, was promptly sent back to the sin bin by McNeil, allegedly for blowing. That was the poorest call of the night.

Two more fast goals were rapped in by Stan Berry and Grisedale, while Kelowna was short, putting the game on ice at 11:2. Now it remains to be seen who will be officially pinned for the whole unfortunate affair. It is generally felt here the Aces should never have left the ice at all.

Kodiaks Swamped

Aces will have their first go at Kamloops at Vernon next Tuesday. At this writing Kamloops was undefeated, but advance reports indicate a strong team has been knitted together. The game will be a "home" one for Kelowna, with part of the receipts coming to the Aces.

The preliminary, Kelowna Kodiaks suffered a humiliating 11-0 defeat at the hands of the Vernon juveniles. Nothing seemed to go right for the Kodiaks after the first 10 minutes of the game. Up to that point play was fairly even, though rugged.

But continued storming on the Kelowna citadel reached blizzard proportions and Bernie Uselman and his defence found they had more than they could handle.

Juveniles

KELOWNA—Uselman, Fawcett, Lipsett, Brunet, Simpson, J. Eso, T. Eso, Anderson, Fraser, Feist, Shaefer, Gish, Casper, Swercy, Kogge.

VERNON—Squire, Freund (both alternated in goal), Henschke, Sparrow, Kaufman, Hood, Phillips, Mills, Kitta, Abbot, Fisher, Whitecotton, Wolgram, Wyatt.

FIRST PERIOD—Vernon, Kulak (Henschke), 9:30; 2. Vernon, Wyatt (Fisher), 11:40; 3. Vernon, Abbot, 14:00; 4. Vernon, Kitta (Phillips), 16:50.

Penalty—Fawcett.

SECOND PERIOD—5. Vernon, Abbot (Wyatt), 11:00; 6. Vernon, Hood, 12:45; 7. Vernon, Kitta, 12:50; 8. Vernon, Mills, 16:50; 9. Vernon, Kulak (Henschke), 17:55.

Penalties—none.

THIRD PERIOD—10. Vernon, Whitecotton (Mills), 18:10; 11. Vernon, Mills (Henschke), 17:50.

Penalties—Schaefer, Abbot, Hood.

Senior B.

VERNON—Hunter, Neilson, Miller, Grisedale, Zemla, Berry, Loudoun, Simms, Smith, Kulay, Kerluke.

KELOWNA—Biechel, Witt, O'Shaughnessy, McIndoe, Gourlie, B. Garrow, G. Garrow, Newton, Eldon, C. Gourlie, Loken, Bird.

FIRST PERIOD—1. Kelowna, McIndoe (Witt), 2:17; 2. Vernon, Neilson, 9:31; 3. Vernon, Simms (Kulay, Miller), 17:20. Penalties—none.

SECOND PERIOD—4. Vernon, Neilson, 8:30; 5. Kelowna, Eldon (Witt, Newton), 9:15; 6. Vernon, Miller, 9:30; 7. Vernon, Simms, 15:30. Penalties—Kulay, B. Garrow, Kerluke, G. Garrow.

THIRD PERIOD—8. Vernon, Berry, 7:55; 9. Vernon, Zemla, 10:07; 10. Vernon, Kulay (Loudoun, Zemla), 13:20; 11. Vernon, Loudoun (Berry), 13:40; 12. Vernon, Berry (Grisedale), 14:55; 13. Vernon, Grisedale, 15:40.

Penalties—Witt (2), Kulay, Eldon, Gourlie (minor and misconduct).

Officials—W. McNeil, S. Netzel.

SUGGEST K.A.R.T. MEET MEMORIAL ARENA HEADS

Discussions on the possibility of getting an arena here by next winter highlighted the monthly meeting of the Kelowna Athletic Round Table last Thursday night.

Alderman J. J. Ladd, who attended the meeting, said the war memorial committee had a hard decision to make but he did not elaborate. He suggested KART might arrange to have a meeting with the committee and help them decide on one of the two or three alternatives.

The rowing club representative told the meeting the club hoped to receive two new shells complete with oars in time for next summer's doings.

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VALLEY SKI INSTRUCTORS END COURSE

Results of Examinations Will Not Be Known For Several Weeks

Fifteen future ski instructors from Okanagan ski clubs dragged themselves home last week-end after a gruelling week of ski instruction under chief instructor Peter Vajda.

The ski school, sponsored by the Okanagan Ski Zone with the sanction of the Canadian Amateur Ski Association, started at Silver Star Mountain, Vernon, on December 7. Under perfect snow conditions, Vajda quickly put the skiers through their preliminary paces. On Friday the school moved to Kelowna Ski Bowl so that the potential instructors might have practical experience in giving instructions to learning skiers.

Free instruction was the order of the day at the bowl over the week-end, with over 100 skiers from Kelowna availing themselves of the opportunity.

Given Exams

Vajda watched closely the demonstrations of the applied ski instruction. He gave the candidates oral, written and practical exams in skiing and ski instruction. Results of the exams will not be known for several weeks, and throughout the valley, from Vernon

to Osoyoos, hopeful pupils await word on whether or not they will receive the coveted paper saying they are qualified ski instructors.

All present at the school expressed warm appreciation of the trouble to which the Vernon club went to make the session at Silver Star a success, particularly with regard to the high quality of the food served at the cabin by the cook.

Learn More

The skiers all agreed that the instruction under Vajda and assistant instructor Ches Edwards, of Rossland, was a revelation to them. All were fairly competent skiers or they would not have attended the course. They were unanimous in asserting that they had learned more in one week under Vajda than in their previous years of skiing. They hope to be able to pass this knowledge on to skiers of the valley.

Vajda, prior to leaving for Vancouver, where he is coach of the U.B.C. ski team, commented favorably on the skiing enthusiasm in the Okanagan, and made plans with Kelowna officials for the staging of the Northwest Inter-Collegiate meet in Kelowna in January.

Skiers who attended the school were: Vernon—Bill Attridge, Mike Freeman, Earl Boutwell; Kelowna—Alvin Marshall, Verne Ahrens, Lyman Dooley; Summerland—Don Agur, Walter Powell; Penticton—Ed Cormier, Fred Hack, John Lier; Oliver—Chester Hutton, Jim Bogy; Osoyoos—Howard Engel and Wolfe Thibet.

Don Cool from Saskatoon also attended the course. He plans to instruct at Banff this winter.

LOCAL SPORTS WRITER GIVEN WEDDING GIFT

Al Denegrie and Wife Honored by Sports Clubs and Fans in Kelowna Area

Sports clubs, their members, and sport fans—numbering more than 300 in Kelowna and the immediate district—indirectly held up the Saturday basketball game at the Scout Hall for a public presentation of two expensive wedding gifts to Al Denegrie, Kelowna Courier sports writer, and his wife, Kathleen, who were married on November 5.

Mayor W. B. Hughes-Games made the presentation on behalf of sports clubs and fans. He was brought to the microphone by Bill Spear, the Emcee.

"Sports fans and clubs in Kelowna think you have done a good job," said His Worship as he turned over to the newlyweds a 52-piece set of silver flatware and a small walnut utility table.

Makes Reply

The blushing groom thanked the Kelowna sportsmen and women for their "splendid gesture," but protested he was not worthy of the honor. He promised a rosy future in the world of sports for Kelowna and envisaged the Orchard City as the heart of the Okanagan and interior sports sphere.

All Mrs. Denegrie, shy and demure, could say, when the mike was passed to her by her husband, was: "Thank you, everyone, very much."

Earlier, in the introductory remarks, Bill Spear lauded the man who spent weeks organizing the presentation and collecting from the 300-city sports-minded folk in the city and district. "I am not permitted to mention his name," said Don Spear, "but you all know him. He and his dog are a familiar sight in the park all summer long, helping the boys and girls, and the grown-ups, too, in their games."

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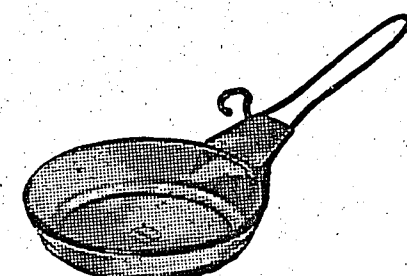
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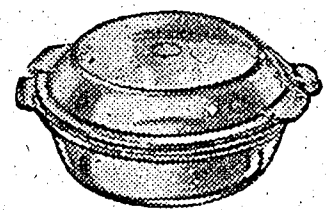
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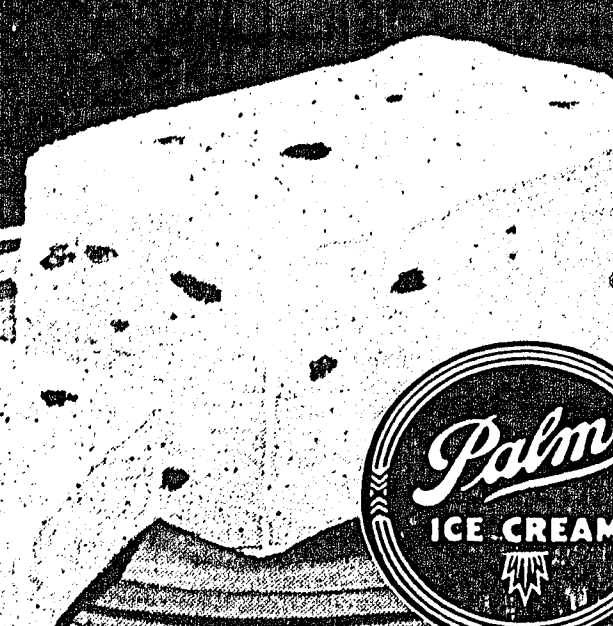
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Doings in the Field of Sports

Kelowna Cagers Suffer Twin Loss To Penticton

KELOWNA cagers suffered a twin loss at the Scout Hall on Saturday night as both the senior Bears and the intermediate A Orioles were tripped by visiting Penticton squads. Bears held their own nearly all the way and it was only in the last quarter the game was decided—with the 46-33 finish. But the Orioles had trouble all along and wound up well behind, 48-21.

For thrilling entertainment, the Bruins made a fight of it for most of the game. In fact at several points they took the advantage and their folding up in the last quarter came as a surprise to the 200 fans.

Twice Tied

Penticton jumped into a 5-0 lead in the early stages of the senior fixture. Sparked by Roy James, whose shooting eye and arm were in great shape for the long distance tries, the locals tied it up twice. Just as the quarter bell went, Dave Chapman popped in a basket to put Kelowna up 11-9.

A fast, rugged but well-checked second quarter kept the score down to 17-10 in Penticton's favor at the close. James again led the locals' assault on the Penticton backboard. Up to this time Sammartino had been the Penticton mainstay, accounting for 10 of the southerners' 17 points. But Walsh, Simuin and Kenyon began to grab the spotlight in the last half even before Sammartino was disqualified for his five fouls.

Last-half honors for the Bears were split fairly even between Hank Tostenson and his brother Carl, Verne Ardiel and James. Kelowna was down 29-25 going into the finale but it was still anyone's game.

Surprised at Loss

What happened then has a lot of heads shaking still. Penticton didn't appear to have any more on the ball, but the Bears looked bad. Almost before it could be said, Penticton was in a 12-point lead.

With the knack of snaring rebounds lost temporarily, the locals fought hard and got the score down to 38-28 at the three-minute mark. But only seconds later Penticton pulled an even dozen ahead again and added another to that margin by the end of the game.

Fans settled down to what they believed was the game of games for this short season when the Orioles took the floor against Penticton's inter A's in the prelim. For a while it looked like it might be a real battle but by half time, Orioles had a 26-14 catch-up chore ahead of them. Play was fairly even in the opening quarter—it ended 11-6 for the visitors—but Penticton got on their bicycles in the next session and began to outstrip the home-owners.

Held Scoreless

Putting up a brilliant defence, Penticton held Kelowna scoreless in the third quarter and largely on the work of Street and Boulding, added another 12 to the score sheet. Orioles, who hadn't met the Pentictoners in full force this year, tightened up in the last quarter but the southerners, with bullet passes and swift, rabbit-like shifting, kept boring in.

Street put on a brilliant display of basket-finding, setting himself up for 18 points for the night's play.

LOCAL TUXIS BOYS DEFEAT ARMSTRONG

Win Hard-Fought Basketball
Game 32-29—Junior Tuxis
Wins 22-12

Senior Tuxis boys of Kelowna gained a hard-fought 32-29 cage triumph over Armstrong High School seniors at Armstrong Saturday night. In a previous meeting of these two squads, here on November 29, the match ended all even after two overtime periods.

Kelowna gained a 2-1 edge on the jump to Armstrong with the junior Tuxis boys also picking up a win over the Armstrong Juniors, 22-12, while the Kelowna C.G.I.T. girls were tumbled by the Armstrong girls from the high school, 20-22. Odd feature of the three games was the basket scored by Armstrong's Winter in the second half of the junior game. He attempted to pass the ball the length of the floor to a team mate at the Kelowna end. The ball hit the backboard and went through the basket without touching the rim.

DON HORTON NOW COACHING LOCAL CAGERS

Resignation of Harold Pettman Announced by Kelowna Hoop Association

BIG SURPRISE

Pettman Regarded as One of Smartest Basketball Players Developed Here

Resignation of Harold Pettman as coach of Kelowna Bears, the city's senior B squad in Interior Basketball Association play, was announced this week by officials of the Kelowna Basketball Association. Association president Dave Chapman, Jr., said Don Horton, who had been acting as an assistant coach with Pettman, had taken over.

The resignation came as a surprise to most hoop fans. Pettman was upset over the Bears' loss here on Saturday night, and read the riot act to the players for not practicing more and trying to get into condition.

Not in "Good Condition" Over the telephone this week, Harold said the main reason he quit was because he didn't have the time to spend on rounding the

team into what he believes is "good condition." Pettman has always been regarded as one of the smartest players developed in the city. He not only played the game but studied it. His type of coaching was the strategic, planned attack; not the rushing razzle-dazzle. His scheme of things has proven very effective in many teams that he coached, in Kelowna, at the coast and at Winnipeg when he was in the army.

Horton this week said he, too, was squeezed for time to devote to the cagers, but he "would give them the best I can." "Everything should work out all right," he said. Practices will still be held twice a week and he asked the boys to turn out scheme of things has proven very effective in many teams that he coached, in Kelowna, at the coast and at Winnipeg when he was in the army.

Normals Here Saturday

A nice hoop card is promised for Saturday of this week when the touring Vancouver Normal School five will be here to cope with the Bears. A speedy preliminary is also on the agenda.

Inter A

PENTICTON—H. Drossos 8, Russell 1, Raptis 6, Boulding 9, Street 18, Ashley 2, T. Drossos, Ryan 2. Total—48.

KELOWNA OROLES—Gee 2, Currell 3, Hampton 8, Carr-Hilton 2, Wade 4, Jones, Horner, Hoyle 2. Total—21.

Referee—P. Weddell; umpire—D. Chapman.

Senior B

PENTICTON—Smuin 9, Gannan 7, Walsh 10, Sammartino 13, Kenyon 6, Pollock 1, Biagoni, Tor 48.

KELOWNA BEARS—H. Tostenson 5, C. Tostenson 6, Chapman 3, Wilkinson, Jennings, Ardiel 4, Saucier 2, James 10, Weddell 3. Total—38.

Referee—C. Pettman. Scorer—R. Light. Timekeeper—B. Ryder.

LES HABITANTS SLIDING AFTER LENGTHY RULE

N.H.L. Champs on Downgrade But Durnan and "Punch" Line May Spark a Comeback

MONTREAL—(CP)—The downfall of the once-proud Montreal Canadiens—pride and joy of the National Hockey League for the last four seasons—may be just around the corner.

At least that is the consensus of most hockey observers after watching the six teams battle to the season's one-quarter mark.

But the Flying Frenchmen can't be counted out when they have a goalie named Bill Durnan and the trio aptly named the "Punch Line"—Elmer Lach, Hector (Toe) Blake and Maurice (Rocket) Richard.

Durnan, three times winner of the coveted Vezina trophy for the No. 1 goalie of the N.H.L.—judged by number of goals scored against—gives all indications of being just as hot as ever despite a pre-season injury that almost forced him to watch the opener from a rail seat.

They just don't make them any tougher than likeable Bill, seriously injured above the eye in a game with Rangers recently, but back between the pipes a few days after against the Toronto Maple Leafs.

All-Time Star

Toronto-born Bill is fast approaching his 33rd birthday although he has been in the N.H.L. for only five years. Many hockey fans—not all from Montreal either—rate him with the best puck-stoppers of all time.

The rating in Durnan's behalf brings up the never-settled argument about the relative merits of old-time hockey or at least 15 and 20 years ago—and the present-day brand. The oldsters won't deny that Durnan is good but maintain that George Hainsworth and company were better.

As for the "Punch Line" there is little doubt in the minds of hockey fans everywhere that they rate with the best. This year they are continuing where they left off and all three are near the top of the scoring parade.

Last season the trio accounted for 88 goals and picked up 151 scoring points despite the absence of centreman Lach through injuries for half the season.

Richard, most prolific scorer of the three was born in Montreal 26 years ago and last season tallied 45 times. Blake, native of Victoria Mines, Ont., now is 35 but manages to keep pace with the speedy Rocket. The line's western member, Lach, hails from Nokomis, Sask., and this year is making a comeback at 29. He suffered a fractured skull last year when heavily checked by Toronto's rugged but clean Don Metz in mid-season.

With these four players as a nucleus—Durnan, Lach, Blake and Richard—and defencemen like Kenney Reardon and Emile (Butch) Bouchard, coach Dick Irvin has a fighting team which he expects to soon hit its stride.

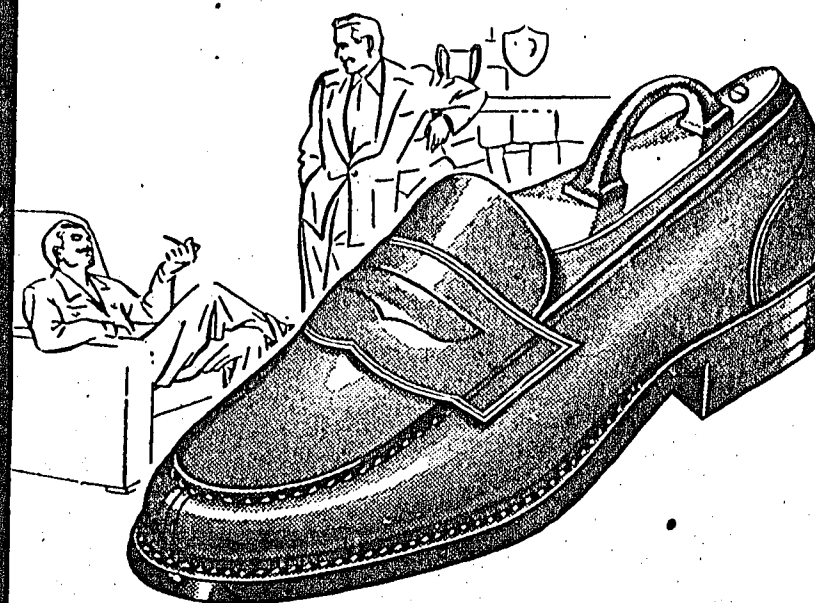
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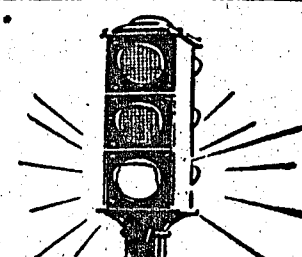


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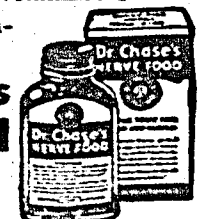
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Black will arrive from Vancouver on Friday to spend Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. D. Black, Frank's parents. Mrs. Black was formerly Joyce Avison. They will return to Vancouver for the Crewe-Avison wedding December 30.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Abbott are leaving on Thursday, December 18, to spend the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Woodland, at Courtenay.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilby, with Donna and Mary, will spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McDougall and Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Wilby, of North Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lloyd-Jones are leaving on Saturday, December 20, for Vancouver and will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lloyd-Jones, their son, and daughter-in-law. They plan to spend a fortnight at the coast. Mr. Arthur Lloyd-Jones will join them on Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gerow are spending Christmas with Mrs. Gerow's father and sister, in Penticton. Mr. Douglas Woolley and Mrs. Muriel Woolley, Mrs. Woolley left recently to fly to New Zealand.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McLaughlin are spending Christmas in Calgary with Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Townsend.

Mrs. Hal Jones-Evans is arriving on December 23 to spend ten days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Austin, of Celista, will spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Glenn. Mr. Austin is Mrs. Glenn's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Manning, of Revelstoke, are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Manning. Mr. Manning is well-known in Kelowna, being famous for the Manning chocolates.

Mrs. Barbara Paisley and her daughter, Sheila, are spending Christmas at Salmon Arm with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pryor.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Haskett and infant daughter, Christina, are coming from Penticton to spend Christmas with Mrs. Haskett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. St. George Baldwin.

Mrs. A. P. Hawes and her daughter, Mrs. Louise Doris, are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Karan, in Penticton.

Mrs. Ernest Waterman, of Princeton, arrives on Monday, December 22, to spend a fortnight with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Waterman. Miss Doris, wife of Waterman, of Osoyoos, will arrive on Tuesday, to join the family gathering at her brother's home.

Mrs. Constance Austin and Joyce are leaving on Sunday to spend the holiday season at Kimberley, with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mellor, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Austin.

Miss Kay Payne is leaving on Christmas eve to spend the holiday with her grandmother Mrs. S. Payne, in Victoria.

Miss Katherine Bertha Walsh is leaving Kelowna on Boxing Day to spend the winter in Los Angeles. She will visit cousins, John and Harry Walsh in Portland, visit relatives in Los Angeles and stay with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Knapp in Acadia.

Mrs. Cyril Beeston and Frances left on Monday for Vancouver on receipt of news by Mrs. Beeston of the death of her brother, Geoffrey Bagshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stiell arrive on Saturday to spend nearly three weeks with their respective parents, Mr. Gilbert D. Stiell and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pettigrew.

EAST KELOWNA W.I. FINANCES IN GOOD SHAPE

Mrs. D. Evans Elected President at Annual Meeting of Organization

EAST KELOWNA—The annual meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the Community Hall on Tuesday, December 9, with 12 members present.

The president was in the chair and the minutes were read by the secretary and the treasurer presented the financial statement, which shows a bank balance of \$101.14.

A letter was received by Mrs. G. Davidson from Mrs. Fields, of the Willow Institute, Lethbridge, England, expressing her thanks for the very generous gift of a parcel of food, which had arrived safely.

The secretary gave a report on the activities of the W.I. for the past year. In February a parcel of food was sent to England, donations were given to the hot lunch program, Women's Memorial fund and the Hospital Auxiliary. In March, Mrs. Gummow attended the monthly meeting and presented life membership to Mrs. H. A. Porter and Mrs. J. S. Ferguson. A social evening and whist drive was held and a donation sent to the Okeana Scott fund.

The plant sale was held in the Community Hall in April and Mr. W. Todd, of South Kelowna, gave a very interesting talk on gardening. In May, W.I. members visited CICOV and the following month conference reports from Keremeos, the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides were presented. Members paid a visit to W. Todd's garden.

The Christmas Fair was held in November, children's poetry competition and a parcel of food sent to England.

The annual meeting was held this month, flowers and fruit have been sent to the sick.

Elect Officers
The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. D. Evans, president; Mrs. W. Hince, vice-president; Mrs. A. Harvie, treasurer; Mrs. F. Goddard, secretary; Mrs. W. Murrell, director.

Mrs. R. W. Rogers and Mrs. W. Murrell were elected sick visitors. Tea was served and the meeting adjourned. Hostesses were Mrs. A. Harvie and Mrs. H. Hewlett.

LOCAL FLIER'S SISTER PRESENT AT INVESTITURE
Miss Mona Herbert, who is attending Toronto University, was present at the investiture of her brother F.O. Ralph G. Herbert at Governor's House on December 10.

Ralph Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon D. Herbert received the award for his winning of the D.F.C. and bar during the war.

Kenneth Mitchell, of Victoria, four-year old son of the late F.L.C. G. Mitchell, received the D.F.C. for his father, won for "devotion to duty." Kenneth's mother was formerly Olive Hardwicke, of Westbank, and has been recently visiting her old home and her brother Rex.

FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN PIONEER LOCAL RESIDENT
Saturday night a farewell party was tendered to Mrs. Emmet Blair by Willow Inn residents. Members gathered in Miss Nancy Gale's room, when she presented the guest of honor with a book and a witty farewell verse.

Dinner at the Royal Anne followed, those present including Mrs. Peggy Cowie, Miss Beth Crowe, Miss Thelma Lee, Miss Lillian Read, Mrs. Ira Swartz and Miss May Turnbull. Mrs. Blair who came from Toronto to Kelowna nearly 26 years ago, leaves on December 27 for Toronto. She will stay with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Went.

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RECEPTION HELD BY RECENT BRIDE

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson, who were married in Regina on December 2, held a reception at the Willow Inn on Monday night. Mrs. Harriet Taggart and Mrs. W. Croxby, presided at the tea table and servers were Mrs. Mary Ellergott, Mrs. A. McInroy, Mrs. Harry McClure and Miss Bessie Thompson. Guests were entertained by music. Mrs. Hilda Tutt and Miss Mary Scott singing "Afton Water" and "Ye Banks and Braes" as duets. Mrs. Harold Glenn sang "When Song is Sweet" and "Just A-wearying for You." Mrs. Douglas McDougall gave two recitations and Mr. McDougall recited "Advice to the Ladies" and "David and Goliath." Mrs. Peggy Cowie was the accompanist. Mrs. Thompson was formerly Mrs. Esther Fraser, of Kelowna.

Mrs. F. C. McDermott, of Salmon Arm, is spending Christmas with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Gisborne.

Canadian Fashion



Golden lame in a dinner suit from the new Altandi collection. Modified leg o' mutton sleeves button snugly at the wrist, and a tiny collar turns back to reveal a high square neckline. The skirt has sweeping fullness at the front.

★ THE ARTS ★

le Cercle Canadien-Francais de Kelowna

Sunday afternoon a special meeting of the Cercle Canadien-Francais de Kelowna was held at St. Joseph's Hall, with Mme. Isabelle Burnada, of Vancouver, general secretary of the French Canadian Federation in B.C., as guest speaker.

Mme. Burnada spoke of the treasure of French culture possessed by Canada, how expression of this culture can make our country even greater and of the asset of speaking two languages.

Rev. W. B. McKenzie and Rev. A. L. DeLestre were among the 100 present. Officers appointed were: Mme. H. St. Amant, president; M. Blaneil, vice-president; Mme. Omer Comeau, secretary and M. Jo Poitras, treasurer. This latest of eight clubs in B.C., formed October 5, represents over 200 French Canadians in the Kelowna district.

Kelowna's long-established Groupe Francais warmly welcomes the new club.

MADAME ISABELLE BURNADA

When awards made by Georges Duhamel, president of the Alliance Francaise de Paris, were presented by the French Ambassador, Count Jean de Hauterive, in Ottawa, this fall, "le grand diplomate d'honneur" went to Mme. Burnada, representing British Columbia, only woman to receive an award, for her services in the field of education in Canada.

Just before leaving Vancouver for the quick trip to Kelowna, Mme. Burnada received from the French Embassy at Ottawa, for La France Libre de Paris, whose president is General de Larnat, "la medaille commemorative de la France Libre pour les services rendus pendant la guerre," and this she was proudly christening in Kelowna.

Mme. Burnada, one of Canada's best-known contraltos, is well-known in the Valley having included it in her concert tour of Canada in 1930. "I have always found the people of the Valley very musical."

"I am glad to return to the enchanting spell of the Okanagan that has always left me in dreamland. I have seen it under skies of autumn and winter, but never of spring. Now I am looking forward to seeing the Valley from the sky."

Mme. Burnada left on Monday to fly from Penticton to Vancouver.

KELOWNA CHORAL SOCIETY

Tuesday is rehearsal night for Kelowna's Choral Society, and last Tuesday saw its conductor, Mrs. Faddy Cameron, doing business at the old stand, her leg in a cast, propped on a table, after three weeks away, mostly in hospital. "The Messiah" is the big work, and the Wedding Chorus from Cowan's "Rose Maiden" and Sir R. P. Stewart's "Bells of St. Michael's Tower" are in preparation for the Business and Professional Women's variety concert, January 29. Of 45 choir members, many young, fresh voices blend with more mature and experienced singers, and the old-timers are very glad to have them. Mrs. A. J. Pritchard is the accompanist.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

An excited matinee audience of children watched the dress rehearsal of the Christmas program in St. Joseph's Hall on Sunday put on by convent pupils trained by the Sisters of Charity. "Who's Old Santa" by the babies; chorus of 30 girls of the Sunday School class; "A Plot to Kidnap Santa" with rope and coyote trap; "When Santa Was a Boy," recited with huge success by Gregory Lane; "Christmas in the Big Shoe" with George Poitras as a worldly-wise Santa; "Minuit Chretien" sung by Al Matte; and a beautiful play, "The Singing Shepherd" with Elaine Mann outstanding as an actress, were part of the program. How Timmy, a toy French poodle got into a nativity play, may be explained by Samuel French (Canada) Ltd. of Toronto, with whom, by special arrangement, the play was produced. Lighting, decor, costumes and diction were excellent, the result of hard work by Sister Superior and the Sisters.

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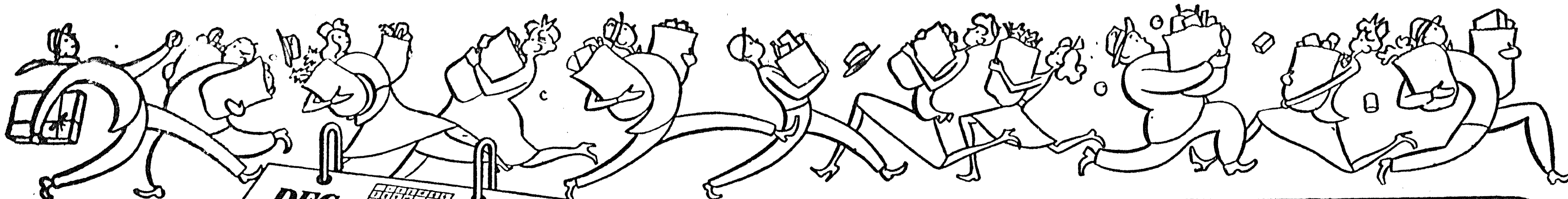
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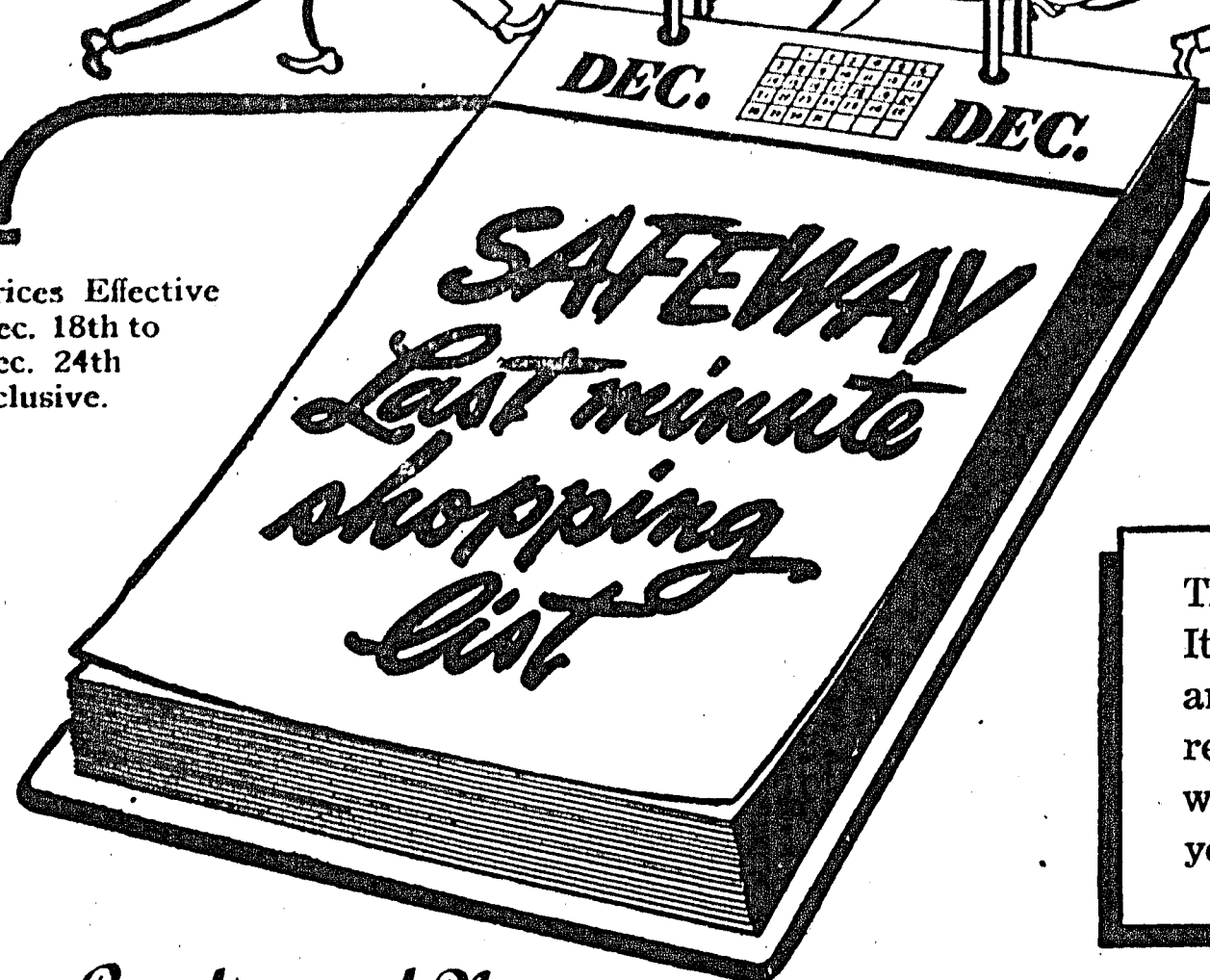
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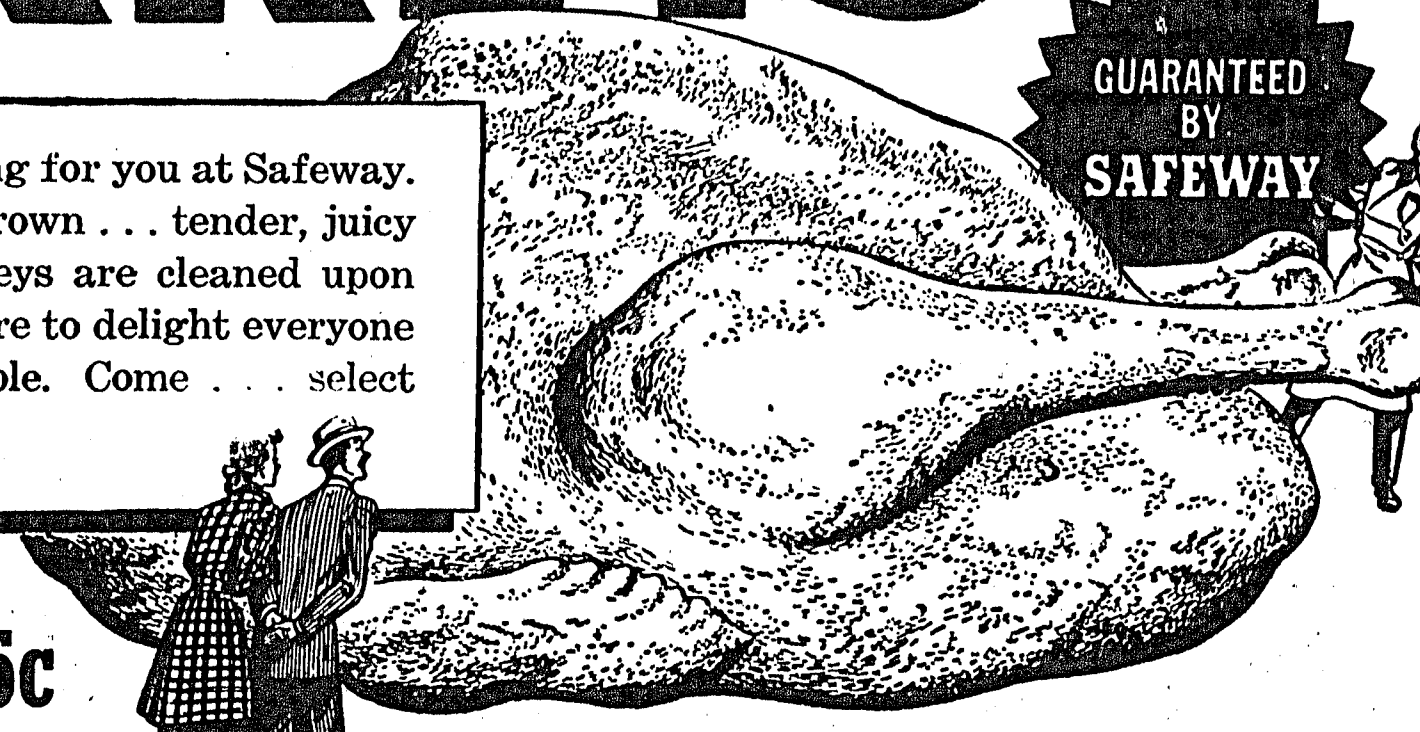
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TUNA	White flaked, 8-oz. tin	53c
SHRIMP	Sea Maid, 5-oz. tin	64c
CRABMEAT	Osprey, 6-oz. tin	65c

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BLUEBERRIES	Cherry Valley, 20-oz. can	35c
PEARS	Royal City, 20-oz. can	33c
FRUIT COCKTAIL	Libby's, 28-oz. can	57c
PEAS	Libby's Choice, ungraded, 20-oz. can	22c
PUMPKIN	Royal City, Fancy, 28-oz. can	14c
PEAS	Ferndale Choice, (Sieve 5) 20-oz. can	16c
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POTATOES	Netted Gem, in shopping bag	10 lbs.	35c

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OYAMA—A meeting of the executive of the Oyama branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society, was held at the home of the president, Mrs. A. R. Lett, on Thursday afternoon, December 11. The sum of \$58.45 was handed to the treasurer, Mrs. R. Flavelle. This sum was the result of the 1947 canvass, by collectors Mary Ellison, Maureen McLure, Sheila MacLaren, Barbara Walker and Beth Walker. Plans were made for the coming year, and it was decided that each member of the executive would help these young collectors in the work of canvassing for 1948. This would considerably shorten the period of canvass. A social hour, with tea and games, will be held at the home of Mrs. J. L. Butterworth, secretary, on Tuesday, December 30, at 2.30 p.m.

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Brides

SIMON-FITZGERALD

The wedding took place on Tuesday, December 16, 10 a.m., in the Catholic Church Rectory, with Rev. W. H. McKenzie officiating, of Edcanor, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Fitzgerald, of Pembroke, Ontario, and Mr. Douglas Wilbert Simon, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simon, of Brockville. The couple, at this double ring ceremony was attended by Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harman, of Toronto.

The bride wore a two-piece crepe satin dove grey outfit, with matching felt hat, trimmed with black coq feathers, and black accessories. A luncheon reception followed the wedding, at Edcanor. The couple left to spend a month in the east. They will be guests at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto, before visiting their respective parents in Brockville and Pembroke. On their return they will live in Kelowna.

HANSEN-ELKINS

PEACHLAND—A wedding of interest to residents of the Okanagan took place at the home of the bride, Mrs. E. L. Elkins, on Wednesday, December 17, at 8 p.m., when Madeleine, youngest daughter of Mrs. E. L. Elkins, of Peachland, became the bride of Gordon L. Hansen, son of T. Hansen, of Edmonton, D.D., officiated at the ceremony. The bride chose a beige gabarine suit, black velvet hat, and top coat of muskrat, and wore a corsage of gardenias. The bride was attended by Miss Grace Mitchell, of Chilliwack, who chose an apple-green dress and wore a corsage of pink carnations. The groom was attended by Samuel Tanner, of Victoria. A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan, Alder Street, Vancouver. Later the young couple visited friends and relatives at Coast points, the bride returning to Peachland, and the groom continued his journey to Nanaimo, where he resumed his work with the B.C. Power Commission. Madeleine will be known to her friends in the Okanagan Valley for her great interest and skill in sports.

NEWS OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Miss Anna R. Greig, of Vancouver, has taken up her new duties at the Kelowna General Hospital.

Miss Isabelle Burnard who arrived in Kelowna on Sunday for a special meeting of the newly-formed Circle, Canadian-Francais, was guest of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Co-meneu. She left on Monday by plane from Penticton, to return to her home in Vancouver.

Mrs. J. E. Leithbridge has recently returned from Victoria, where she has spent the past five months.

Mrs. Oliver St. John, of Peachland, returned on Tuesday from the Coast having been away for the past two months. In Vancouver she was the guest of her cousin, Miss Betty Simon, and in Victoria she stayed with Mrs. Stella Gummow, who has recently returned from Europe on a trip for the provincial government. Mr. and Mrs. St. John will spend the holidays at the Willow Inn, where they will be joined on Thursday by Peter, on his return from the Vernon Preparatory School.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith have returned to their home in Quesnel after visiting Dr. Reba Willis in Vancouver. Mrs. Smith was formerly Mary Willis, of Kelowna.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Gibson entertained members of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Gilroy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey entertained informally on Sunday when they invited friends to drop in to their home on Rowcliffe Avenue at five.

MAN'S WORLD

Mr. Oscar Saar went to Sicamous to meet his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Woora, and their six-year-old son, Mattie. Mr. Saar has not seen his daughter Herdrie for 20 years. She is now a housewife and son arrived from Gorteborg, Sweden, after two and a half years as prisoners in Germany. Their home was in Bernau, Estonia, and they were taken for slave labor.

Mr. Allen Crewe is leaving on Tuesday for Vancouver, where he will spend the Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Crewe. His marriage to Lera, second daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Douglas Avison, takes place at Ryerson United Church on Tuesday, December 30, with Dr. Braden officiating. Mrs. Frank Black, formerly Joyce Avison, will be her sister's matron-of-honor and Mr. Allan Cory will be best man. After a short honeymoon in Victoria, Lera and Allen will go to Naramata on January 5, to begin a four months' course at the Christian Leadership Training School.

Mr. Charlie Quinn was an informal host on Sunday night when he invited old friends to dinner at the Royal Anne. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mallet-Paret and Joan, Mr. Jo Mallet-Paret and Mr. Jack Needham.

Mr. Thomas H. Vickers spent the week-end with his brother-in-law and sister, Mayor and Mrs. W. B. Hughes-Games, when he came from his home at Mara to see his mother, Mrs. Mary L. Vickers, who is in hospital following an accident which she had three weeks ago.

Mr. Rex Marshall returned on Saturday from spending a week at the coast, when he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McWilliams. His brother, Fred, lives at the home of Mr. McWilliams, who is a brother of Mr. T. Finlay McWilliams, while attending U.B.C.

Kalamalka W.I. Will Consider Joining Group To Fight Price Rise

Mrs. H. Aldred Elected President of Organization at Annual Meeting

OYAMA—The annual meeting of the Kalamalka Women's Institute was held on Thursday, December 11, in the Memorial Hall. Minutes and the financial report were read along with some correspondence dealing with the province-wide organization of the Canadian Association of Consumers. This is a new thing which has been taken up by nearly all the women's organizations across Canada and having the following aims and objects: To unite our strength as consumers in order to work toward the improvement of standards of living in Canadian homes. To study consumer problems and make recommendations for their solution. To circulate information on matters of consumer interest and to secure and evaluate opinions. To bring views of consumers to the attention of government, trade and industry to provide a channel for information from these to the consumer.

Through the efforts of this organization it would help to keep the prices from going higher, and to improve the wearing quality and dependability of clothes and other goods.

Members felt they should have some time to consider this, and that the final decision as regards membership should wait till the January meeting.

A recess for tea was then taken with Mrs. V. Ellison and Mrs. R. Andersby acting as hostesses.

Mrs. L. Norman was then elected chairman and then followed nominations for officers for the coming year which resulted in the following electorate:

President, Mrs. H. Aldred; vice-president, Mrs. George E. McPherson; secretary, Mrs. J. Young; treasurer, Mrs. N. Allingham. Directors, Mrs. N. Allingham, Mrs. L. Norman, Mrs. J. Young; conveners, home economics, Mrs. V. Ellison; citizenship, Mrs. J. Fuley; agriculture, Mrs. F. Rimmer; industries, Mrs. L. Norman; social welfare and public health, Mrs. George Potheary; publicity, Mrs. H. P. Walker; social convener, Mrs. R. Tucker.

Mrs. R. Allison who has been president for the past seven years was given a hearty vote of thanks for her energetic and understanding work, by Mrs. R. Tucker on behalf of the members.

Mrs. H. Aldred newly appointed president thanked those present and asked for their co-operation in the coming year's work. A meeting was planned of directors and conveners to be held on Monday, December 29 at Mrs. Aldred's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sproule are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter, on Monday, December 10, at the Kelowna Jubilee Hospital on Wednesday, December 10.

The Oyama school will hold their Christmas Concert in the Community Hall on Thursday, December 18, 8 p.m.

★ THE ARTS ★

Mrs. John Lamont is working on figures for the Christmas creche for the Andrews Church, Okanagan Mission. So far she has done one of the Christchild, about as big as Tony Thumb. Now the Christmas puddings are made and parcels off to England, she will get on with the rest of the Holy Family and shepherd and angels. Next year, she will add the animals. She is using modelling clay that hardens almost as soon as it is exposed to the air.

PLAYWRITERS

Mr. and Mrs. Ron McColl were hosts to the Workshop executive and playwrights at their home on Pendozi, Tuesday night. Executive members are, Gedric Boyer, chairman; Mary Wilson, secretary-treasurer; Rachel McColl, playwrights; Hume Powley, announcers and Pete Sargenia, operators. A program of fortnightly plays was drawn up for the next three months, including "The Truth Pottery" by A. H. Hooper; "Jake's Inn" by Adelaide Willett and a tragic triangle, and comedy, "The Parked Car" by Kathie Hampson. Ronald Irwin has been welcomed to the producers' group. Others present were Nita Bennett, Mrs. Boyer, Allen Crewe, Mrs. S. M. Gore, Mrs. Jack Hampson, Mr. A. H. Hooper, Mrs. Georgina Maisonsville, Mrs. Ira Swartz, Mrs. Harold Willett and Mrs. Don Wilson.

Casting for "Christmas Jade" written by Playwriting Group, for performance December 22, was done Wednesday night and includes Mabel and Cedric Boyer, Earl Conn, Elizabeth and Margaret Follmer, Jack Hampson, Ron Irwin, Georgina Maisonsville, Don Poole, Ruth Rueger, soloist; May and Pete Sargenia, John Sugars, Wallace Tavior and Edna Wilson, directed by Allen Crewe.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Tuesday night is the United Church Choir's night—not to howl—but to sing most beautifully under the direction of Mrs. Tommy Hill whose enthusiastic approach, and faith in her material, would make a crow trill like a canary. Two hours of rehearsal included "Joy to the World," "Hark, What Mean Those Holy Voices," "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" by Arthur Sullivan and Christina Rossetti's "The Lord Jesus Christ" to Gustav Holst's music. A double quartet consisting of Mrs. H. L. Glenn, Mrs. Ken Parker, Mrs. J. H. Trenwith and Miss Mary Scott, secretary of the Choral Club, and H. Botham, Ernie Burnett, soloist, Sidney V. Hubble and Peter Ritchie, sang "Christmas Questionings" by Winnipeg's W. H. Anderson. Mrs. Perc Anstie, contralto, of

Mr. D. W. McLaughlin who has spent the past three weeks at the Willow Inn left on Tuesday for Penticton, and will return to his home in Vancouver, via the States.

Mr. Freddie Thompson returned from Vancouver on Sunday, bringing a new bus for the city route. He was accompanied by Mr. Cecil Alexander who is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. Gerry Willows is arriving in his own Cessna plane, from Saskatoon, his home with Mr. and Mrs. K. Doml.

Mrs. C. R. Haker and baby son returned home Tuesday of last week.

toon on Friday, to spend Christmas with his wife and son, Brian, at their home on Elliott Avenue.

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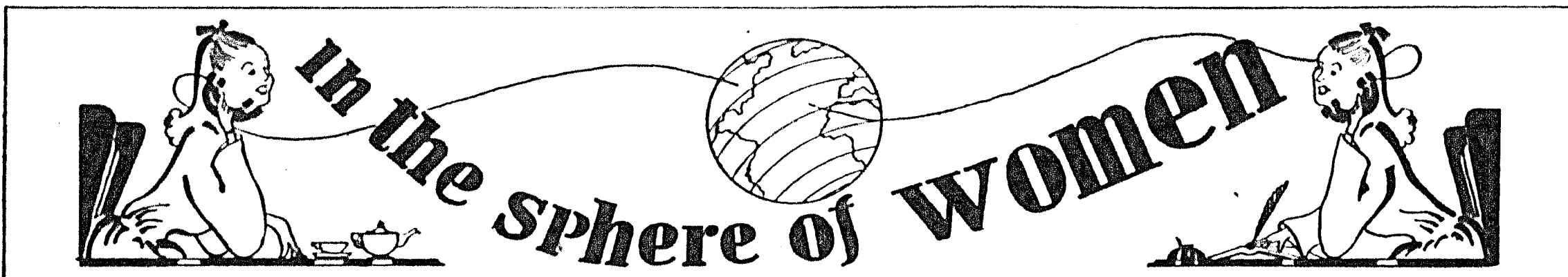
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Miss Beverly McNair, who is training at Vancouver General Hospital, will return to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David McNair, after Christmas, in time to be a bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss Betty Rutherford.

Mrs. Muriel Foulkes is leaving Wednesday, December 17, to drive to the Coast with Mrs. F. Basil Walker, Mary and Barry, and Mrs. Walker's brother-in-law, Mr. Jack Vernon. Mrs. Foulkes will be guest in Vancouver of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ayres, and will visit her brother, Rev. Brian T. Paice, of St. James' Church. Mrs. Walker and her children will be guests of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vernon, of Victoria. They will drive via the States.

Mrs. P. T. James, of Vancouver, arrived on Wednesday to spend the holiday season with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. James. Miss Mary James, co-lectress at Buckenfield's Ltd., Vancouver, will also join the family circle for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Adams, of Abbotsford, are expecting their daughter, Barbara, from Victoria, where she is in the social service department of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, and their son, David, from Vancouver.

Miss Marcella Moodie will spend Christmas with her parents, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. W. H. Moodie, of Water St., arriving on Sunday. Miss Moodie is the new president of the Skyline Hikers Club of the Rockies.

Miss Ruth Pollard, who is in training at the Vancouver General Hospital, will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Pollard.

Miss Kathleen Johnson, who is training at St. Paul's Hospital, returns on Sunday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Johnson.

Miss Norma Hill, who is training at the Vancouver General Hospital, is returning on Tuesday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Finley McWilliams will have a family gathering including Mr. McWilliams' father, Mr. G. A. McWilliams, and brother, Cliff, from Vernon, for Christmas. Cousins of Mr. McWilliams, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Strachan, of Summerland, will be members of the party.

Mr. and Mrs. St. George Baldwin will have Mrs. Baldwin's sister, Mrs. Edward Neal, of Spokane, and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Haskett, with infant Christina, from Penticton, to spend Christmas with them at Okanagan Mission. Mrs. Haskett was formerly Yvonne Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hawkins, with their little daughter, Margaret, will spend Christmas with Mrs. Edith Hawkins, of Armstrong. Mr. Hawkins' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilf Rueger are spending Christmas at Salmon Arm with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pantling, of Vancouver, are coming to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Millner, their son-in-law and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartley and Miss Bartley are arriving at the Royal Anne on Tuesday, December 23, to spend a fortnight.

Miss Kay Hall is arriving from Vancouver to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hall.

Dr. Reba Willis, of Vancouver, is coming to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. P. B. Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken McKenzie will spend Christmas in Penticton with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Truett. Later they will leave for Vancouver to visit Mrs. K. McKenzie Mr. McKenzie's mother, and other relatives.

Miss Jean Bryson, of Edinburgh, sister of Mrs. W. I. Zowsky, has recently been appointed admitting nurse at the Kelowna General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Greening and their daughter, Joan, left for the Coast on Wednesday to attend the wedding of their son, Roy, to Miss Norma Tom, of Capilano, at St. John's Anglican Church, North Vancouver, on December 20.

Miss Eva, Miss Joan and Miss H. Christensen, sisters from Westbourne, Manitoba, are guests at Elsie Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fortie Pridham entertained informally on Sunday at "Alta Vista" when they were at home to some 30 friends. Mrs. Archie Blackie presided at the table.

MAN'S WORLD

Mr. Jack McM. MacLennan is spending Christmas in Vancouver, where he is joining his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Klepper.

Mr. Wan Quong is leaving Sunday by plane from Penticton to spend Christmas with relatives in Vancouver.

Mr. Howard Oberlend, of Toronto, who attends Toronto University, is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. James Spall.

Mr. Harold Michelson is spending Christmas in Victoria with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Michelson.

Mr. Harold Brown, Jr., leaves on Christmas Eve to join his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown, in Vancouver.

Bill Granger is returning Saturday from the University of Washington, Seattle, where he is studying dentistry to spend Christmas with his wife and infant daughter, Heather-Hay.

Mr. Jack O'Connell arrives on Friday from Stevenson to spend holidays at the home of Mrs. S. M. Gore.

All Highways Lead To Kelowna As Students Hurry Back To City To Join Families Over Christmas

Theme song of students is "I'll be home for Christmas" as they hurry back for holidays with the family. University of B.C. contributes its quota of homecomers. META BLACK, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Black, arrived on Tuesday. She is in third year pre-medical studies.

JOHN BARRAT, studying electrical engineering, returns with his wife and infant daughter, Linda, to stay with Mrs. G. A. Ootmar, Mrs. Barrat's grandmother.

JOAN GOHE, taking a course in teaching and supervision nursing, returns to her mother, Mrs. S. M. Gore.

LESLIE HUGHES-GAMES, in his first year commerce, returns to his parents, Mayor and Mrs. W. B. Hughes-Games.

DICK STEWART, in his fourth year agriculture and science, is returning to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Stewart, who also welcome home son JIMMY, from Berkeley, Cal., in his third year, majoring in chemistry.

C. JOHN WEST, in fourth year of Commerce, is home, with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack G. West, having returned Sunday. With him came ROY WIDMEYER, taking a commerce course, to his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Widmeyer, of Kelowna, and HAROLD SHUGG, also taking commerce, to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Shugg.

Mr. and Mrs. "Cap" Capozzi will have HEIR, studying chemistry part-time, chemistry teacher; JOE, studying commerce; and TOM, who will come from the University of Portland, where he is taking business administration.

ALAN and ANNE FRANCE return to visit their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. France and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Blackie. Alan is taking a medical course.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. MARSHALL, of Glenmore, expect FRED, taking agriculture and commerce, on Thursday.

IAN HOOPER, in first year Arts, who plans to be a teacher, arrived Wednesday to stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hooper.

MIKE OSWELL, second year agriculture, arrived home on Tuesday to stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Oswell. Also taking agriculture is DAVID LECKIE, in his third year, who returns to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Leckie.

SHIRLEY RENNIE, who has been nursing at the Chemainus Hospital, has left her position and will holiday for some time in Kelowna with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward H. Rennie.

From Crofton House NANCY LADD and BEVERLY LEWIS return home to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ladd and Mrs. Beatty Lewis; from Queen Margaret School, Duncan, comes BRENDA DAY, from York House, comes VERONICA PRIDHAM and ANN PATERSON, to Mr.

and Mrs. Fortie Pridham and Mrs. H. W. J. Paterston.

From St. George's School comes JAMES MACFARLANE to his home and "Threevies," Hankhead; and DUNCAN WHILLIS, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Whillis; and JOHN KYLE, who will travel home with his father, Mr. D. C. Kyle, from Port Alberni.

From the Vernon Preparatory School pupils returning home are JOHN ANGLE, son of Lt.-Col. and Mrs. H. H. Angle, BILL BURK, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burk, HUGH MOWAT, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Mowat, and PETER ST. JOHN, of Peachland, who will join his parents, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Oliver St. John, at the Willow Inn, for the holidays.

Teachers who are home for Christmas include MARGARET RITCH, who has been teaching at Grand Forks, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Ritch.

LIL SUGARS, who has been teaching at Williams Lake, returns to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sugars, PEGGY SUTTON and KAY SPALL, who have been teaching at Beaverdell, return to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sutton and Mr. and Mrs. J. Spall. CLARA SPALL returns from Toronto University, where she has just completed her second and final year of occupational therapy.

Teachers going home for Christmas are Miss BETTY BEAUMONT, who leaves Friday for Vancouver to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon A. Beaumont; EULA WALKER, going to her sister, Miss Roma Walker, superintendent of the Children's Preventorium at Burnaby; Miss EVE GOODSHIP, going to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Goodship, Port Moody; VERNE ARDIELE leaving Friday to join his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ardiel, Port Kells; CHESTER LARSON, heading with his teaching at Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Larson, of Abbotsford; Mr. FRANCIS BISHOP returning to Vancouver to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Bishop. She will return to Kelowna for Monday night's play, "Christmas Jade," in which she has a part, and will be a guest at the Royal Anne.

To Vancouver go Miss PEGGY MARTIN to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin, and Miss MARY MACFARLANE, to her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. Watson; while to New Westminster goes Miss PHYLLIS MOORE to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore.

Miss IRENE GRAYSTON is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Grayston, of White Rock; and Miss MARGERY BOULTON will spend her holidays visiting relatives and friends in Vancouver and Victoria.

Miss JOAN LAWRENCE is leaving Friday to spend Christmas in Vancouver with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lawrence.

Miss BETH COWIE leaves on Friday for Vancouver, where she will meet Mrs. Dick Diespecker, formerly Sybil Mackenzie, of Kelowna. Miss COWIE will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Crowe. She will return to Kelowna for Monday night's play, "Christmas Jade," in which she has a part, and will be a guest at the Royal Anne.

Miss EVA PERSOAGE will be spending Christmas with her parents in Teulon, Man. Miss ELEANOR JENKINSON will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jenkinson, in Vancouver. Miss DOROTHY DAVES will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Daves, in Summerland, for Christmas; and Miss EVELYN KENNEY goes to her mother, Mrs. S. H. Kenney, at Armstrong. Miss DOROTHY JACOBSON will be home in Penticton, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jacobson. Miss BERTHA BAL will go to Armstrong to relatives for Christmas. Okanagan Mission is also welcomed.

ing from U.B.C. DOUG PARET, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Paret, second year electrical engineering; GIFFORD THOMPSON, son of Mrs. W. M. Thompson, studying agriculture; MICHAEL DAVISON, first year law, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Davison; JOHN LAYTON, second year law, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. D. Layton; MICHAEL PAINTER, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Painter, in second year electrical engineering and TONY HILLIARD in second year forestry, returning to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hilliard. TONY BULL in second year Arts, arrived home on Wednesday to stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bull.

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LEWIS-RAWLINGS

WESTBANK — A largely attended wedding of interest to both Kelowna and Westbank districts was solemnized by the Rev. H. S. MacDonald at Westbank United Church, on Monday, December 15, at 7.30 in the evening, when Iona Margaret Rawlings, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Flack, of Kelowna, became the bride of Wyndham Morgan, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Lewis, of Westbank.

The attractive bride, wearing a poudre-blue dressmaker suit with matching hat and black accessories, was attended by her sister, Miss Edna Rawlings, in brown suit with accessories to match. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. W. J. Kane, of Kelowna. The groom was supported by Mr. Hans Zdravlek, of Westbank. During the signing of the register Miss Gwyneth Reeco

sang, "Because," accompanied by Miss Joy MacKay.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Westbank Memorial Hall, where the happy couple received the good wishes of their many friends. The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Hans Zdravlek and responded to by the groom.

At the bride's table, centred by the traditional three-tiered wedding cake, Mrs. Felix Sutton, Kelowna, and Mrs. W. H. Hewlett, Westbank, poured tea. The many lovely wedding gifts, displayed on a long table at one side of the hall, testified to the popularity of the principals and of their families.

Following the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Wyndham Lewis motored south, where they will spend a short honeymoon before taking up their residence in Westbank.

MENDE-RIDDOCH

OKANAGAN CENTRE — A wedding of interest to a wide circle of friends was the uniting in marriage of Blanche Y. Riddoch, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Kobayashi, of Okanagan Centre, and A. Mende, of Winfield, ward of Mr. and

the Rev. Yoshiko in the presence of a host of friends at 3.00 p.m. on Monday, December 8.

The bride looked charming in a wine crepe afternoon dress with matching hat, a corsage of red and white carnations and accessories in brown matching her fur coat donated for driving. Her matron of honor, Mrs. C. Shishida, was becomingly gowned in grey, her toque being of green feathers.

The groom was supported by A. T. Kobayashi, brother of the bride. The Kobayashi family are old and esteemed residents of the Centre, where the bride received her schooling and has since resided, and at a reception in the Okanagan Centre Community Hall following the marriage, some eight or nine score of friends and neighbors took the opportunity of extending their good wishes to the young couple.

Receiving with them, beside their attendants, were Mr. and Mrs. D. Kobayashi and Mr. and Mrs. G. Kanamaru.

The groom has made his home with the latter couple for several years and while there, has made many friends.

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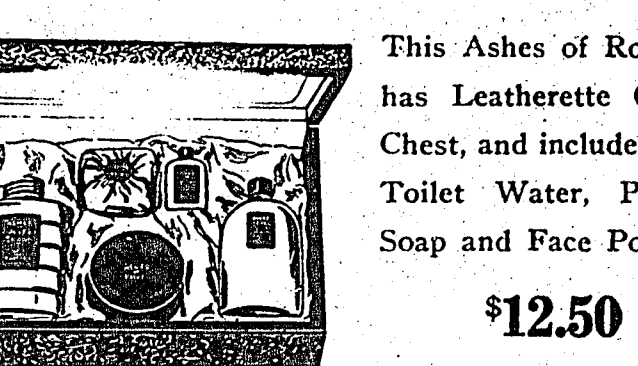
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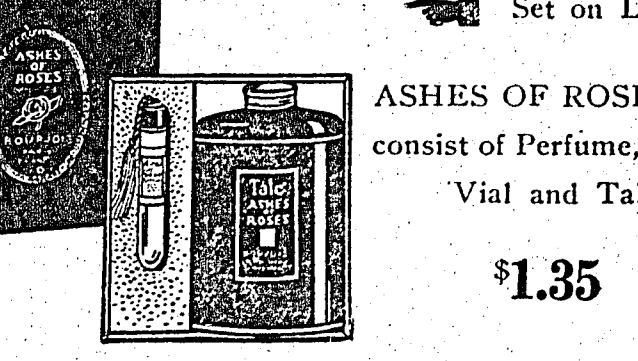
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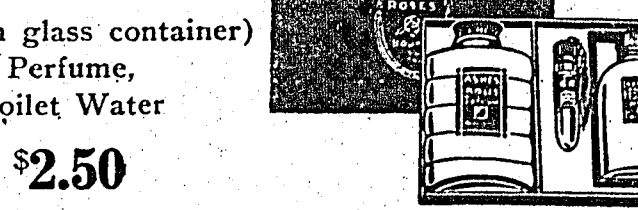
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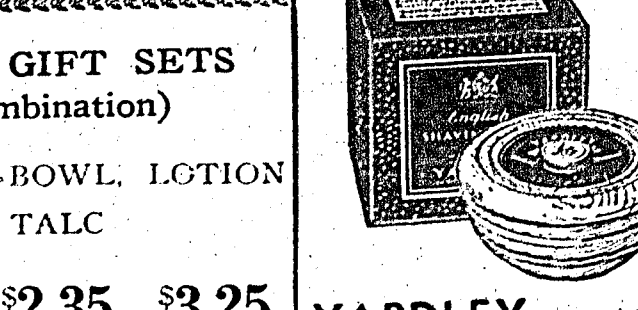
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cember 26.

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22, in full uniform for the annual

Christmas party.

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ford).

The Patrol competition that has

been running since the troop re-

sumed meetings in October has now

ended, with the Foxes being win-

ners by a small margin, the Beavers

running them a close second. Pre-

sentation of the pennant will be

made to the winning patrol on Mon-

day next. Herewith is the final stand-

ing:

Foxes 655 pts.

Beavers 590 pts.

Seals 554 pts.

Eagles 223 pts.

A meeting of the Court-of-Honor

will be held during the Christmas

holidays to make plans for the new

year's activities. The date and place

will be announced on Monday even-

ing.

Several new recruits have now

completed their Tenderfoot tests and

an investiture ceremony will be

held at the first meeting in the new

year.

TRICK BIKE

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SPECTATORS

Cy Weeks, Safeway Store man-

ager, proved before scores of mid-

morning shoppers on Bernard Ave.

today that he is also adept at per-

forming a few tricks on a bicycle.

Incidentally while at it, he saved

himself a little money.

To the accompaniment of cat-calls

from laughing spectators, Mr. Weeks

rode his bicycle backwards from

his store to Water St., and back

again. When it was over, Norm Ge-

row, proprietor of a local ladies'

wear store, paid off a bet of \$5.

Mr. Weeks disclosed he used to

do this trick quite easily when he

was in his 'teens.

Fred Swainson, retired public

works foreman, in a letter to City

Council last Monday night, thanked

City Fathers for the gift of a travel-

ling bag. Mr. and Mrs. Swainson are

now vacationing in California.

ARMY CADETS CLEAN TURKEY SHOOT BOARD

Boys of the Kelowna Army Cadet

Corps made a "killing" in Tuesday

night's turkey shoot at the Ke-

lowna Armory for members of the

three cadet services, the army, navy

and air force.

Army cadet members won all se-

ven turkeys put up as prizes in the

shoot sponsored by the Kelowna re-

serve militia. Trooper C. J. Kraft

topped all marksmen with his 95,

while Captain Pat Carew and Ser-

geant G. Mephram were next with

90 points each.

Best shots for the air and navy

cadets came out even, with Air Ca-

dets J. Wanders and Sea Cadet H.

D. Tasker both getting 83 and hold-

ing down a split for eighth place.

Neither of them made the turkey

grade.

Complete results of the 29 taking

part in the 29-yard shoots are:

Tpr. Kraft, C. J. 95

Sgt. Carew, P. 90

Sgt. Mephram, G. 90

SSM Fitzpatrick 89

Tpr. Wagner, G. H. 88

Sgt. Barlee, R. G. 87

Cpl. Cruikshank, A. F. 83

Air Cdt. Wanders, J. 83

Sea Cdt. Tasker, H. D. 83

Tpr. Hornsberger, H. 82

Sea Cdt. Curtis, C. 82

Air Cdt. Foote, R. P. 82

Tpr. Ducharme, J. 80

Tpr. Terada, G. 79

Sea Cdt. Jackson, J. 78

Lieut. Horn, J. 77

Tpr. Brummett, F. 77

Tpr. Numada, J. 74

Sea Cdt. Montgomery, L. 74

Sea Cdt. Poltras, L. 72

L.Cpl. Thomson, T. R. 71

Sea Cdt. Black, F. 70

Tpr. Collet, E. B. 70

Sea Cdt. Boake, N. 68

Sea Cdt. Ellergot, A. G. 65

Tpr. Hilliard, R. F. J. 64

Cpl. Ferguson, C. 64

Sea Cdt. McKenzie, J. D. 64

Sea Cdt. Thompson, C. R. 58

Dr. France Word, who came from

Vancouver on Thursday to stay with

Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Wilson, left

on Monday. On Saturday, Dr. Word

was a dinner host at the Royal

Anne, when his guests included his

hosts and Dr. and Mrs. Gordon

Brown.

HEAVY DAMAGE DONE TO CARS IN ACCIDENTS

Fairly extensive damage was

caused to four cars involved in two

accidents on the outskirts of the

city Monday.

Damage was estimated at \$175 to

a car driven by Mrs. Olga Horn,

Okanagan Mission, as a result of a

collision with a light delivery dri-

ven by E. Blackie, Okanagan Mis-

sion, at the bridge over Mission

Creek on the Lakeshore Road at

9:30 a.m. Damage to the truck was

set at \$160. No one was injured.

In an afternoon accident near the

dry cleaners, just south of the

Rutland junction on the Vernon

road, a new passenger car driven

by Hong Tai Lee was struck by a

truck, driven, according to police,

by A. E. James. The car was dam-

aged to the extent of about \$300

and extensive repairs will be need-

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caped injury.

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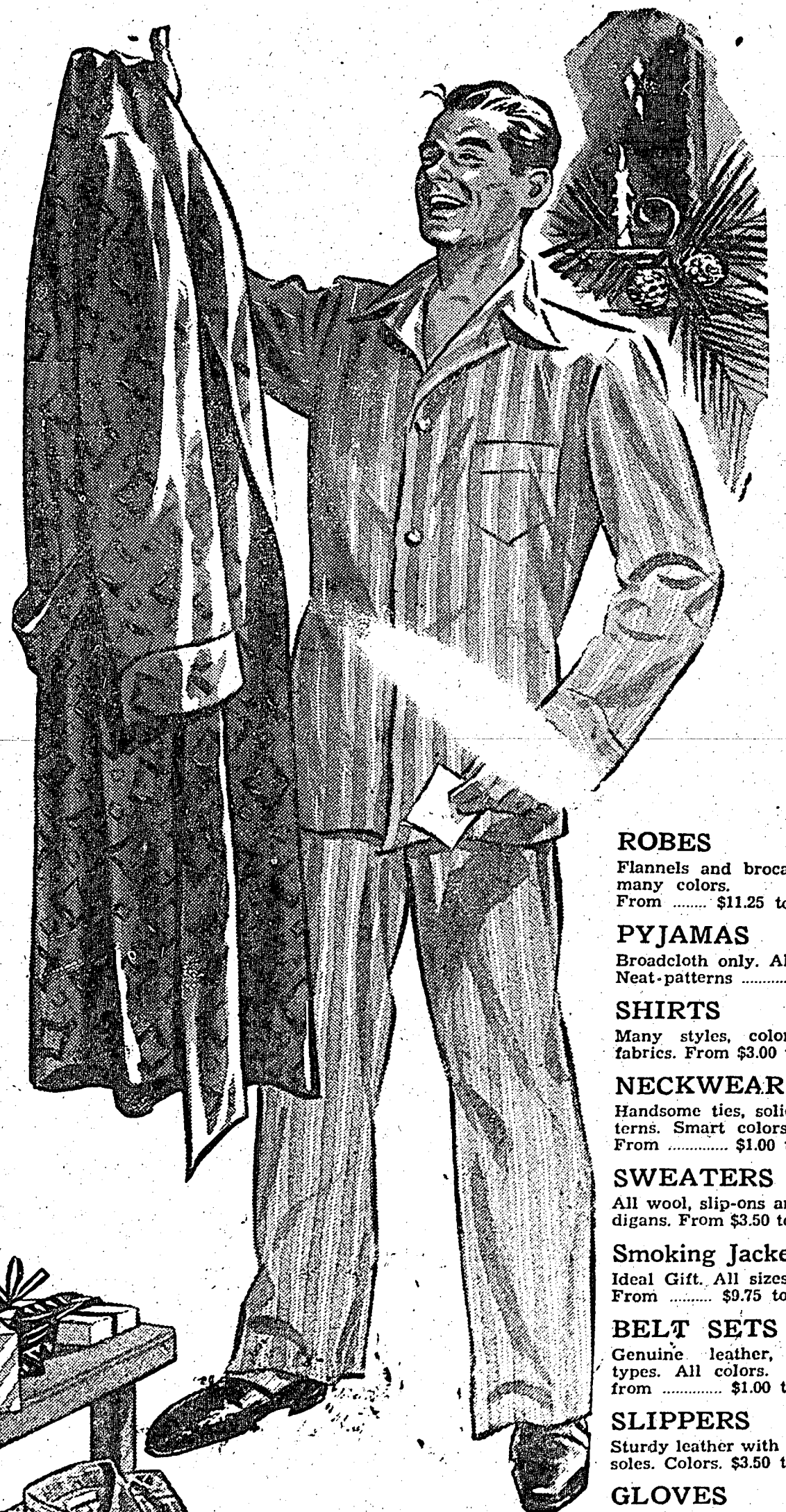
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